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REDS 15 MILES FROM NANKING

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Push Continues As Govt Peace Delegates Meet REDS ENTER PEPING

Nanking, January 23. Communist spearheads today were reported to have taken up positions only 15 miles North East of Nanking as their rapid Southward lunge threw a full-dress Government retreat to South of the Yangtse River into an initial disorder.

Press despatches and reliable private information today reported the hurried Nationalist evacuation of a string of strategic towns stretching from North of Nanking to the mouth of the vital waterway.

An informed source said at least four Communist columns were racing Southwards along the Tientsin-Pukow railway to fill the vacuum evacuated by the retreating Nationalists.

vance units were presumed to have reached Chuhsien and Liuho, 30 and 15 miles North West and North East of Nan-

High Nationalist military quarters admitted the Communists may reach the North bank of the Yangtse River opposite Nanking in a week's time. One military source said: "We may hear gunfire here then."

Travellers from Pukow, Southern' terminal opposite Nanking reported ranfusion and disorder in the evacuation of Nationalist troops and the flight of refugees across the river. Pukow railway station and the town was Jammed with the entire police mobilised to maintain public order.

As the Communists drew nearer and hearer daily to Nanking, both the Nanking and Shanghal garrison commander, General Tang En-po, and the Nanking city commander General Chang Yaoming, issued stern warnings to the public to maintain calm, threatening severe punishment including "shoot at sight" penalty to violators of social security.

Reply Awaited

meanwhile marked time today in of the Government's integrity be- also was considering revoking the the major aspects, as a reply from cause of the Generalissimo's flight outlaw ban on the Democratic the Communists to its appeal to from Nanking. must be received before further dent Chiang Kai-shek retired tion.-United Press and Reuterdefinite action can be taken.

hended by Mr. Shao Li-tze met President Li Tsung-jen, with full this morning to discuss phases of co-operation from Premier Sun their mission which can be trans- | Fo's cabinet and other Kuomininted into action at present.

firmed, that Mr. Peng Chao-hsien | nounced the following steps: had declined to accept appointment to the peace delegation. The Prime Minister, Dr Sun Fo, however, was said to be exerting efforts to get him to consent to carry out the mission.

Mr. Shno Li-tze also sought to how out as chief delegate, suggesting that all members of the delegation should have equal authority, but the premier persuaded Mr. Shao to remain as chief delegate and chairman.

There is a belief in some quarters, but lacking confirmation altogether, that some contact already mny have been made between certain Government quarters and the Communists

Red Broadcast

Last night's Red broadcast, however, gave no indication of Generalissimo Chiang Kaishek's retirement as the last remaining anag in going forward toward peace. The broadcast, in Chinese language, was typical of all former Communist attacks against the retired President and his top leaders as Well as American importailem.

The broadcast took note of the Generalissimo's leave taking, but asserted lit was a political trick, 2500

THE WEATHER

Ab 0600 CMT (2 p.m. HKST) a weak anti-cyclone dominates China and neighbouring some and a ridge extends Today's Forecast !- Light or moderate Easterly winds. Fair with morning and evening haze, Testerday's Weathers-Maximumt 72.2 deg. Pah. Minimum; 67.0 deg. Pah.

Bunshings 9.7 hours. Rainfall: Nil. Total since Jan. 1-2.0 mm=0.08 Inch as against, an average of 28.6 mm. = 0.92 (neb. Readings at 10 a.m. 4 mm.

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Dow Point 57 86 deg. W.
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Wind Toron 4 7 knots:
4 Tides re— Time 114.

He said the Communist ad-"League" To Act As Contact

Shanghai, January 23. Mr. Chen Chi-chao, close advisor to Acting President Li Tsung-jen, was reported to have arrived here today from Nanking to contact officials of the banned Democratic

Mr. Chen was said to be bearing a personal invitation from President Li Tsungjen to the Chairman of the Democratic League, Mr. Chang Lan, and to Madame Sun Yatsen to proceed to Nanking to discuss a peace plan.

General Li Tsung-jen was also reported to have cabled similar invitations to Marshal LI Chai-sum, head of the Kuomingtang dissidents in Hong Kong and other top Democratic League leaders ((ving in exite in the British Colony. -Router.

that the gesture was not sincere | Slan Incident, according to a high and that the Communists would official source today. The Government's peace efforts, not be fulled into false assessment

Less than 24 hours after Presi- licy of liberalising the administrafrom his 21-year-old role at the AAP. Five members of the delegation helm of China's destiny, Acting tang leaders swung into action. It was reported but still uncon- either informally approved or an-

Basis For Talks

1. Plans to abandon Nanking to take the Government to Carion will be discarded.

2. Special criminal which were set up to deal with of armed robbers at 5.30 p.m. political and economic violations and seditious activities will be abulished

3. Political prisoners will be released. 4. Restrictions and control over newspapers and periodicals will be lifted.

5. The eight terms laid down by Mao Tze-tung as Communist party of New Territories police on conditions for peace will be accepted as the initial bargaining

6. Overtures to the Communists to restore immediately communications and postal ser- fled. the Communists accepting vices between the Nationalist and Communist areas.

> military and political offeirs gung may be found. during the transition period has The police suffered no casual

Soong Quits

Canton, January 23. The Governor - of Kwangtung, Dr. T. V. Soong, made formal public. announcement of his withdrawal from China's political life in a broadcast hero today.

Dr. Soong announced that he would come to Hong Kong tomorrow. His did not! montion his reported trip to the United States .- Associated Press.

been functioning, Reuter learn. ed today from sources in Pelping contacted by radio telephone.

Four Communist armies have entered the ancient capital. Order hus been restored following a short period of confusion yesterday and early today. The city received General Fu

Tso-yi's announcement of peace terms quietly. Prices of foodstuffs have already dropped foilowing the Nationalist evacuation. Public utilities are functioning normally. Newspapers are publishing as usual, but subject to sensorship. Railway communications between Peiping and Tiens

tsin are reported to have been

Direct Contact

restored

Maintenance of the city's radio and telephone contacts with Nanking was believed to mean that the Communists now had a direct channel of communications with the Nationalist Government conduct their preliminaries peace negotiations.

General Li Tsung-jen, verbally ordered the rollinge; (of "Young Marshal" Chang Hsuchliang and General Yang Fucheng, both imprisoned for the kidnapping of retired President Chiang Kol-shek in the dramatic

The source said President Li League in line with his new po-

Robber Shot In N.T. Gun Duel

One robber was shot but not seriously wounded and is lying in Kowloon Hospital as a result of a gun duel between courts a party of police and a gang yesterday at Ma Cho Lung Gap near Lok Ma Chau, New

Territories. It is possible that other robbers might have been wounded or killed in the duel which lasted rome considerable time.

According to a police report, patiot came across a band of 12 armed men one when challenged the dest-cradees opened fire which the police immediately returned. The armed gang fired as they

Police parties under Divisional Superintendent M.B. Frager. Sub-Inspector J.M.R.B. Wall, R. The Nationalist forces mean- | Mackenzie, and Kinloch .scoured while have completed the the countryside until late last evacuation of Peiping and a hight. It is still possible that other Joint Office to deat with the wounded or dead members of the

Senders Of. Threatening

Japanese Trail In

> Tokyo, January 23. The polls closed today on Japan's third post-war election, and the first fragmentary returns showed the Communists running far behind the Socialist and Conservative candidates.

Elections

With spring-like weather, voting for the new 466-member peaceful and apathetic. No incidents were reported at a

The liny Amakusa Island, Kumamoto, Kyushu, closed polls early and an incomplete count gave a lead to the Social Democratic candidate with 393. gave the Domocratic Liberal (uitra-conservative) 184, and the Communist candidate 19.

47 Per Cent Vote

A Japan-wide check by Gencrai Douglas MacArthur's Hoadquarters reported that 47 per cent of Japan's registered voters passed through the polling booths by 2:30 p.m., Japan time. The polls she will go into dock for genopened at 7 a.m. and closed at eral repairs to her damaged

Most of the woman voters ar-

did Soviet, Chinese and British terday.

though a plural number of seats channel, leading out from Sasebo was not injured seriously. from one district. The Commun- by hundreds of ships since the was injured, except for ists claimed this favoured the end of the war. better publicised. Conservative! Prior to the departure of the candidates.—United Press.

Air Force Smashes

Smuggling Ring

The United States Air Force Headquarters in Wies-

badon announced that several arrests were

made during an operation against a well or-

ganised gang of international smugglers in

the American Zone of Germany early today.

During the investigations Force agents, widely dispersed

lected evidence in several Euro- amine all suspected. cars.

Wiesbad'), January 22.

working on a model of the Cunard-White Star Liner "Queen Elizabeth" at their Northampton, England, Works. The model is destined for the show window of the New York Offices of the Cunard Company, it has been carved from a 200-year-old log of West African white mahogany, weighing seven, tons AP!

Bassett Lowke, famous English model Makers, are at present

Giant ''Queen'

On Small Scale

Mine-Damaged Vessel Arrives Safely

(By Our Harbour Reporter)

hor crow enabled the leaking, mine-damaged ss. Wei Ming to reach Hong Kong rately after seven days of severe battering by heavy

Cracks on her walls, fixtures torn off from their positions and leaking holds bear evidence of month for the Colony.

at the Mackies Wharf. On completion of her unloading.

"It was pure bad luck and this about amidships. rived at the polls in Tokyo around ship was one of several hundreds | "I was on the bridge directing to the nuthorities by detectives midday, many with bables strap- that had passed the spot," Mr the vessel with my officers on R.O. Engelsen, the 55-year-old watch," Mr. Engelsen said. The

The channel, open to all ships. in the House, might, be elected to the open seas, has been used

Wel Ming, however, a heavy

Through Heavy Seas

House of Representatives was Skilful navigation and a 24-hour-a-day vigilance by

an explosion which shook the 7,200-ton vessel shortly after she left Saseba early this

The Chinese steamer is now interm hit the town, and a magnetic Meanwhile the Sunday Empire International Court here today discharging 3,500 tons of coal mine lying in shallow waters News kaid in a bannerline story that Britain's minesweeping in *

One hour after the ship left the involving three Ministries and a brutality." Japanese town a heavy explosion was heard and felt under and

American Military Government Norwegian, master who heads an window panes of the wheel teams toured the voting booths as all-Chinese crew of 57, said ves- house were shattered. Instruments jumped out from their containers and were strewn all over the The Japanese cast their ballots had been swept clear of mines deck. A wooden rack above him under a "single ballot" system, dropped by the Allied planes dur- dropped and scattered its articles. They were permitted to mark the ing the war. Measuring two miles A plug torn off from the wall hit name of only one candidate al- wide and about 40 miles long, this the master on the head, but he None of the crew. however.

> momentary shock. Orders to mann the lifeboats and don life jackets were issued and distress calls were sent out. A few minutes after the explosion the water around the ship became muddy...

Holds Sounded

The holds were sounded and when it was found that the snip was not leaking, she was turned round and by various speed and constant sounding reached Sasebo, three hours later.

On the way back, she met four tugs, two belonging to the American Navy, which had answered her call. But they stood by as the Wel-Ming entered Sasebo harbour under her own steam.

Japanese divers of the Basebo' Dockyard surveyed the ship and after temporary repairs to the which preceded the operation, at exit points in the American damaged installations on board the announcement said, agents Zone of Germany and working the Wei Ming resumed her of the American Air Force col-bouring countries, started to ex-"In the open seas we encounter-

ed rough seas and the severe rollpenn countries. They worked Most of the goods were taken ing and tosssing caused the ship with the United States Army, across the German border in w leak," the master said. Water Alleged to be responsible the French Surete Generale false compartments built into had to be pumped continuously. for sending threatening notes to Hong Kong cinema houses demanding sums ranging from toms' officials."

HK\$1,000 to HK\$5,000, leadars of the "Overseas Chinese Youths Reform Group" have been arrested by the Chinese Police.

The veriacular Wan Klu Man Posaid yelfar and other countries. The veriacular war taking vital German police at Sheklung, hig East River town across the New Territories border, caught the ringleader of the organisation on Thursday. The newspaper added that the semigration of the strength of the organisation on Thursday. The newspaper added that the gang so far at "mill mare \$40,000 in scores of serwed to the test wall was tern police seized a build of they gang so far at "mill more than \$40,000 in scores of serwed to the test wall was tern police at Sheklung, big East River gold, silver and cash, into France the organisation on Thursday.

The newspaper added that the Conservative estimates place to the valle of the yeally of the gang so far at "mill more than \$40,000 in scores of serwed to the test wall was tern proved to for sending threatening notes and the Italian police and Cus- motor lorries, fendors and run- As she lies now at Mackies

ments which, it is alleged, con- by the gang so far at 'mil- more than \$40,000 in scores of screwed to the test wall, was torn nocted the organization with the lions of dollars."

threatening letters sent to cinema Operations stainst the smughouses in liong Kong last week.

glers began today when Air far was not announced.—Reuter. (Continued on Page 2)

Attlee Studying Tribunal's Report On Investigation

London, January, 23.

No Eviction

Before

New Year

. The Ohinese New Year will

not find the several hundrede

of roof top dwellers in

Wanchai Ilving in the atrects,

as was at first feared, but

still, in full possession of their

District Health Office Inform-

ed-the "China Mail" youter-

day that the fequattors will

definitely not be evicted until

after the Chinese New Year.

notice had yet; been given to

these people to move out, and

that whon they are officially

notified to ide so they would:

be_given; 10 days to comply

Albania

Accuses

Britain

The Hague, January 22.

Counsel for Albania told the

The court concluded its hearing

of the case in which Britain ac-

cuses Albania of responsibility

for the mining of the two des-

troyers, the Saumarez and Voluge:

with the loss of 44 sailors, in

October, 1948.

with the notice.

He further stated that no

Dr. Willia of the Eastern

shacks.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Clement Attlee, is today studying the report submitted by the special tribunal which investigated allegations of corruption by certain Gov-

ernment Ministers and public servants. The report, which was finished yesterday, will be published this week and debated in Parliament. It is divided into two parts—the tribunal's findings and a verbatim report of the six-week hearings filling 750 closely printed foolscap pages.

At Chaquers today Mr. Attice will decide whether the report calls for any action on his part. No advance information on the tribunal's findings had been | -----

Two government officials nave already resigned as a result of the investigation The Labour MP, Mr. John Belcher, quit his post as Parliamentary Secretary to the Board of Trade midway through the hearings. Mr. George Gibson soon afterwards resigned his governorship in the Bank of England. Both defiled allegations that they received money bribes from contact men and business friends to influence their decisions on permits; and licences which govern Britain's tightly controlled

allowed to get out.

hotel bills to cases of liquor and rationed sults. Key Witness' Story

economy, However both Mr. Bel-

ther and Mr. Gibson admitted re-

ceiving gifts ranging from paid

The key witness throughout the hearings before the three-Justice tribunal was Mr. Sidney Stanley a stateless self-admitted contact man between businessmen and Government officials a recommendate The Sunday bowspaper. The

People. Amouniced loday that it had signed up Mr. Stanley to tell his life story. It said Mr. Stanley who has been ocscribed as the "most fan-

tastic figure of our time" will lift the vell on his career. Mr. Sidney Stanley, the man who staggered the world by his

story in the witness box, will tell: exactly how he does his bigbusiness deals. nearby might have drifted into that evidence withheld during the the Corfu. Channel has been the channel, the veteran skipper tribunal hearings would form the "carried out unlawfully, unskil-

> number of civil servants. The paper said highly sensational evidence has been submitted of the fraud squad. - United

ON OTHER PAGES

Asian Conference Aske End Of Dutch Rule In Indonesia. .West Selects Rhine As Defence

Nehru Proposed As East-West

ling Dalance Feared.

Decline in South Africa's Stor-

She claims £1.000,000 compen-Squatter Hut Fire in Causeway! The hearing began on February 26 last year. No date has yet been fixed for the judgment, but It was unofficially believed that it will not be ready for at least six weeks.

> Today. Professor Cot. stating Albania's counter-charges, accused Britain of having violated Albanian territorial waters twice first when the two destroyers. along with other British-warships: passed through the Corfu Channel on October 22, 1940, and second, when she had the Channel swept on November 12,-Reuter.



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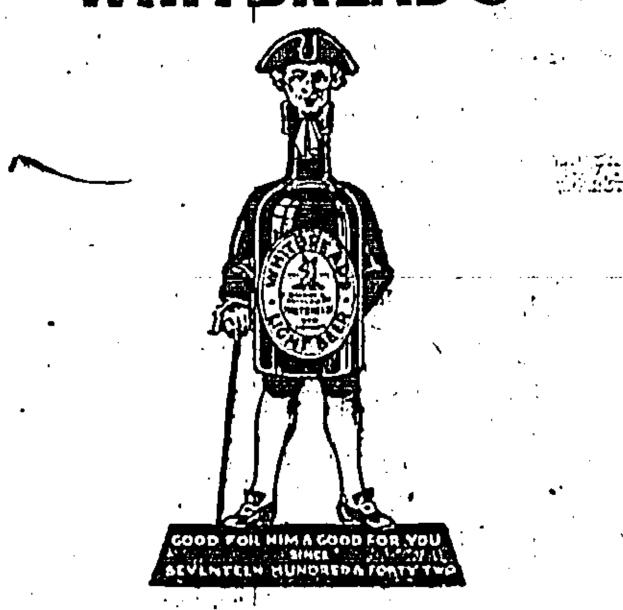
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----Bank's Profit For Last Year

The Bank of East Asla's profit for the year ended December 31, including the balance brought forward from 1947, amounts to HFE\$2,389,729.84, ncfording to a statement by the Bunks a streament

The statement said that the dinguist is still subject to addit. The Directors have proposed to deal with

PHy "h" 'fividend 'of' HK\$6 'a share and a bonus of HK\$2"a Shate "Coll. . . .

Transfer to the Reserve ...HK\$1,000,000.00 for "charity Provision donations HK\$100,000.00 Carry forward *** ** \$1K\$486,729.84

Bandits Rob Ferry Launch

Jewellery, money and property; of an unestimated value was the haul which eight bandits took from the passengers and crew of the Chi Keung, Taipo and Sha Yu Chung,

short firearms and disguised as by the Germans. passengers, took control of the vessel near Mirs Bay just inside last year, the vessel had 12 pas-Chinese Territorial waters. After gathering their loot,

the bandits made for shore in a small junk and disappeared. The launch returned and reThe fire which gutted a squatters' hut an the hillside 70 feet above Tin Hau Temple Road, Causeway Bay, shortly after noon yesterday claimed 11 casualties, including one fatality -alt pigs.

Were it not for the prompt arrival of two appliances, under Divisional Officer R. H. J Brooks, the fire could have become another major disaster, for the area is clustered with

Connecting a hose to the hydrant in Tir - Hau Temple Road. firemen ran their pipe 100 bet up the winding paths leading to the burning but. Under the direction of Station Officer Young Ping-kwal, the fire lighters soon had the flames under control, but while 10 others sustained burns

the body singed. According to the occupants of the hut, who escaped with all she is the Intest acquisition of their belongings, the fire started the Ben Line fleet, the Benvenue, when a heap of shavings, which with Mr. W.F. Milne in comthey were using to boll plg-wash, mand. caught alight. Instead of pouring The Benvenue, built last year, water on the flames, they tried to bent it out.

and had the hair on one side of

The Emergency. Unit, under has cargo storage of 500,990 cubic Sub-Inspector F. Penfold, and a feet in five hatches and is equipparty of Police from Bay View, ped with modern cargo preservawere early on the scene.

ss. TOMAR ON MAIDEN VOYAGE The Norwegian steamer Tomar new modern-designed ships are

arrived here yesterday on her maiden voyage to the Far East. On board are two women pas- the Bencruachan, Benvorlich and sengers who are making a round Benavon. trip. They are Mrs. Fangen, wife of the well-known Norwegian Benvenue on the new run, author, Ronald Rangen, who died Line hopes to make the journey a ferry launch plying between in a plane crash which killed the within 28 days. actress Grace Moore, and Mrs. shortly after noon yesterday. Eve Ramm, wife of a well-known with Norwegian patriot who was killed

Leaving Oslo on November 20 sengers, who disembarked Singapore and Manila.

Tomar stewardesses for the passengers The crew are all Norwegians. ported the incident to the Water | Some of them are seeing the Colony for the first time.

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Torritories will also be intensified, while a continuous road block will be maintained along Taipo Road and Castin Peak Road. - Persons entering the British

der will be subjected to m V48Y. क्षाया अवस्था स्थान स्थान स्थान greatly augmented.

7, the 10th day of the Chipcie New Year.

ANTI-RUSSIAN

Rome, January 22. Some 6,000 students demonstrate ed today in front of the Russian Embassy to protest against the delivery of Italian warships

Flying squads of policemen scattered the students, who chanted: "Down with the Russians." students reassombled later ... in Plazza Colonna, often the scene of

Communist demonstrations.

FATAL TRAFFIC ACCIDENT A traffic accident near San Tin

Village, Un Long, Castle Peak Road, about 2 p.m. yesterday resulted in the death of the driver of a converted weapon-carrier 990 and serious injuries to five of the nine passengers.

New Ben

The Ben Line's first ship on the

new Hong Kong-London cargo

service arrived here yesterday.

measures 470 feet and has a dead-

tion system.

weight tonnage of 11,420 tons. She

The Ben Line fleet suffered

zerious damage during the wars

with most of its vessels damaged

or sunk on active service. Now,

replacing them, and the Benvenue

is the latest ship. Others include

With the inauguration of the

The man who succumbed his falal head injuries was Cheung Kol, aged 36, a member of the Chinese Seaman's Union and living at 15 Saigon Road, top floor.

Franchise For Rickmobile n Three local firms are com-

beting for the francises to operate cickmobile (threewheeled motorised passenger cabs) tervices in the Colony. At present there are only three samples of rickmobiles In Hong Kong Once the Travic authorities give the approval more are to be imported to gradually eliminate the present man-pulled dilapidated rickshaws.

Tests have already been carried out by the Tramo authorities... The tests were successful, the "Ching Mail" was informed yesterday by a representative of one of the interested firms.

The representative added that it is etill not yet known how many rickmobiles the Traffic authorities will allow to operate in the Colony. It! was learned that rick-

mobile services will be operated simultaneously on the Island and the Mainland.

Chinese New Year, the pallog are taking additional precautions against what haw been taken for granted, as the usual scanonal crop of armed rob-

Commencing today, additional and stronger patrols selfares shiggue toubroo iffw: the roade and Herry wharves. Mobile patrols Will be equipped with riot batons, as well as the regulation to-

Road blocks in the New territory from across the Bore

slong the Border will be These additional precautions will be taken up to February

Russia as provided by the Italian

peace treaty.

They criticised Foreign Minister Carlo Sforza for his conduct of Italy's foreign affairs until other police action dispersed them -United Press.

Austria

Rome, January 22. Italian and Austrian representatives today began negotiations on the application of a frontier agreement signed here last November by the Austrian Foreign Minister, Dr. Harl Gruber, and the Italian Foreign Minister, Count

The agreement was designed to reduce customs formalities" facilitate the exchange and transit was in the chart room when he of goods between Austria and the was shaken by a terrific explosion Alto Adige area of Italy, formerly the Austrian South Tyrol. The negotiations for a commer- | and the ship's charting instru-

cial treaty between Italy and Aus- | ments were strewn, alk over the tria, begun on November 29 and deck. The compass in the wheel interrupted by the Christman bell- house was torn off its plugs. The days, will begin on February 15 .-

MOSCOW'S REPLY

Moscow, January 22, President Harry Truman's innugural_speech was __described. today's Moscow Pross as an "enroged attack" sgainst:

Tass, the Russian news agency in the first Russian commentary on the Bresident's inaugural speech said that the President's gramma included the creation of a military bloc in the form alliance of the countries of North Atlantic and the securing of "maximum possibilities for penetration of American capital Into backward nations."--Axsoclated Press.

Exile European Parliament To

London, January 22.

A European Parliament exclusively composed of exiles from Iron Curtain countries may be set up in Landon shortly, it was reliably learned

here today. Leading British and international liberal quarters are backing the project of the European Exile Parliament, which will be discussed in a threeday conference of Central and Eastern European exiles to be under the auspices of International next

Wednesday, will be presided over by the Tamous Spanish Theral scholar, Salvador de Madariaga, and will include representatives Bulgaria, 10 countries: Ezechoslovakia, Estonia, Hungary Latvin, Lithuania, Poland, Romania, the Ukraine and Yugo-

The conference will work out detailed proposals regarding the projected exile assembly and will form an international organisation of liberal exiles as a counterpart of the international organisations of exiled Agrarian leaders and Socialists.

The conference of liberal exiles which will elect a negotiating committee to approach "all responsible democratic exila groups", will also be called upon to voic on a trosolution which declares that European freedom is threatened as long andreedom is suppressed in Spain and Central Europa

Most of the Western European countries, as well as Canada and the United States, will be repre-

One point on the agenda is what action to take on the manifesto published by anti-Franco parties within Spain. United Press. 1

MINE - DAMAGED VESSEL ARRIVES SAFELY THROUGH HEAVY SEAS

(Continued: from Page 1) The steam pipelifeeding heater in the master's room was torn off and the exhaust there had to be repaired.

Terrific Explosion Mr. S.C. Shu, second office, under the ship, "The chronometer Dinner Party in honour of Mr. nearby jumped out of its container steering telemotor was damaged when the explosion burst its

"The" chief engineer reported that the explosion burst U.S. PRESIDENT main sea pipe and he had to Bridge Drive, European YMCA, shut off the sen valve immediate. 8 pim ly to prevent water from coming Burn's Supper, Roof Garden, HK in. The sen valve leaked and the discharge pipe was torn off. Other damaged parts included the fire ppgratus pipe, the ice machine oil pipe, the auxiliary pipes and

The Wei Ming was cruising after the incident, Mr. S.F. Tsao by various speed brought her back The steam pipes in the engine

com were safe, he said. The Wet Ming, built, in 1919, at lewport News, United States, seeing Hong Kong for the fourth time since the war. Measuring 865 feet long with a beam of 53 feet, she has a draught of 25 feet. She has been on the Hong Kong Japan run for nearly six months, carrying coal from the North.

New York, January 23. Bonds moved narrowly. Higher the curb were Rittsburgh Metallurgical, Green Alden Coal Cities Service, Copper Range Shaded a bit were U.S. Air Conditioning and Babcock and cox.—Associated Press.

Be Formed Shortly

Non-Stop Trip To Canton

A special class non-stop rail convice between Kowloon and Canton Will be inaugurated today, it was officially announced yesterday. The through trin will be covered in four hours, edven minutes. The express trains will

leave Kowloon dally at 2.40.

p.m. and Canton at 8.50 a.m. The fare for a single journey has been fixed at HK\$18,50. The times of other express trains, accommodating first, second, and thind, class passengers are 7.45 a.m., 10.05 aim. and 8,30 p.m. from Kowloon and 7.35 a,m, 1.85 pim. and 3.40 pime from

Canton. The first morning train from the New-Torritories will arrive dally at Kowkon terminus at 8:19-1 a.m. ulx minutes certies than proviouslý.

KO VIL COURT TO THE COURT TO Reminders

Today

nuction of building of Orient Tobacco Company C. Ingeriohl, Ltd. by Lammert Bros. at 582. Nathan Road, & p.m. Crown Land Auction, PWD office,

and 6 Dinner in honour of Mr. E.G. A. Grimwood, by Chinese Manufacturers" Union, 8 p.m. Whist Drive, European MCA,

Official copening of Chunc Hing Baltory and Confectionery Factory, by Sir Shouson Chow, Mong Lung Street Shaukiwan, 12 poon Exhibition of European Oll Paintings collectio by Miss. King

Roof Garden, H.K. Hotel, 9.30 Grimwood, by Chinese Manufactures' Union, Barn, Ling

Restourant, 8 p.m. Coming Events

TOMORROW Rotory Club luncheon, talk Capt. Lb D. Gommuns. Roof Garden, HR m Hotel, 12.30 p.m.

Toc : H. Club meeting House, 50, Macdonnell Road,

Boxing i Tournament RAF vs. Police. China Fleet Club. 8 the mine. About 20 minutes Legislative Council meeting, CSO,

Dinner, China Fleet Club. Voldura" of China Fleet Club.



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I. NEWTON. Director of Medical Services.

NOTICE

LONDON MATRICULATION

The London Matriculation Examination will be held in Hong Kong in June, 1949.

Entry forms for private stuflents may be obtained from the Education Office 3rd floor, Windsor House and should be returned on or before January ringes. 31st 1949. Students attending schools in the Colony should b forward their entries through the Heads of the Schools.

Students wishing to enter for London University External Degree Examinations are re- Press. minded that it is necessary to register as an external student of the University a considerable time before the actual date of tracts awarded this week totalled the Examination. Further in- US\$90,801,000 compared with formation may be obtained from US\$132,583,000 the previous week the Education Office.

> T. R. ROWELL Director of Education,

CUSTODIAN OF ROPERTY DERT. NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

The offices of the above De-

partment will be situated at the Exchange Building, Ground, Floor, Des Veeux, Road, Con-Hong Kong, (The Exchango Controller's Office), as from '25th January, 1849.

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Optimists, Scorpions Draw In League Game

The First League cricket match between HKCC "Optimists" and HKCC "Scorpions" at Chater Road yesterday ended in a draw.

"Optimists" had first lease of the wicket and ware all out for 214. N. R. Oliver was top-scorer with 46, followed by W. L. Howard with 37 not out. L. D. Kilbee and N. R. Arthy, the opening batsmen, hit up 30 runs each.

McKenley In New Record

Bydney, January 22. The Jamalogn runner Herb Mckeniey set a new Australian record time of 21 ucconds for the 220 yards to-

Mckenley made his fast run in the final of the 220 yards Australian championahip at Sydney cricket ground. He believes that his time is a world record for a circular track. He clipped one fifth of a

second off the provious Australlan record made by John Trelear in 1948. Earlier, the Panamanian Lloyd La Beach equalled

heat. / . Mckeniey led all the way In the final winning from Australla's John Bartram with La Beach third.—Assoclated Press.

Treloar's record time in a

BOND LOAN

month and four annual M. Maurice Petsche, announced T.A. Pearce, c Miller, b on Friday that the French with an efficiency bar above Government will start selling Leach, c Howard, b Snaith.. 100,000,000,000 france worth of H. Owen-Hughes, lbw, b Mcfive per cent bonds on Monday.

The proceeds will be used for F. Howarth, c Kilbee, b Mahon 16 The bonds will not be convertible | G. Gibbons, not out until January, 1960.

A novel foature of the loan provides that a certain previous series of bonds now selling at par, can be exchanged at par Gee, did not bat, value for the new issue. These old bonds will be accepted for lonly balf the value of the new purchase, however. The jother half must be paid in cash.—Associated

Govt Continues Segregation

Capelown, January 21. At the opening of Prillament today, the Government made known its intention to continue its policy of segregation of races but to work for better interracial relations.

Among bills introduced were: 1. Prohibition of mixed mar-

2. Provision for representa- at Melbourne. tion for South West Africa. A spokesman for the government also said steps to combat Communism would be studied, since Marxist philosophy had assumed considerable dimensions certain classes.-United

New York, January 23. Engineering construction conand US\$110,149,000 last year, Engineering News Record ported.—Associated Press.

F. Howarth was the most successful "Scorpion" bowler,

capturing five wickets for 61

At the close of play, "Scorpions" had scored 143 for seven, T.A. Pearce contributing a use-ful 31. M. Newton had 30 runs not out to his credit when stumps vete drawn. Snaith took three wickets for 30 runs and McLellan three for

"971M1878"

L.D. Kilbee, c and b Pearce.. 30 N.R. Arthy, c Kerr, b Howarth 30 N.R. Oliver, c Owen-Hughesb Howarth R.W. Franklin, b Howarth...

W.J. Slagter, c Gibbons, b G.T. Rowe, c Pearce, b Howarth 17 K.A. Miller, e Leach, b Howarth D. McLellan, b Stokes T.P. Mahon, b Stokes

W.L. Howard, not out A.L. Snaith, c Leach, b Owen-Hughes Extras

Total 214 Bowling Analysis

T.A. Pearce 9 H. Owen-Hughes 7.3 0 29 O.J. Kerr 2 0 15 L.E. Stokes 5 0 42

"8CORPIONS"

Paris, January 22. L.F. Stokes, c Arthy, b Snaith 11. The French Finance Minister, O.J. Kerr, c Oliver, b McLellan 24 McLellan 31

> Lellan Extras

Total for 7 wickets 143 Messrs. R.H. Rughes and G.S.

Bowling Analysis

Mahon 9. 1 Snaith 9 McLellan 8 3 Howard

Fanny Koen Scores Wins

won her first two races in Aus-

tralin today. She ran by invitation in a 100 yards sprint and lan 80 metres hurdles in the Athletic carnival

She won the 100 yards in 11.4 seconds from the Australians Shirley McConnochie and June

But the flying Dutchwoman got away to a slow start, and Her time was two fifths of a second outside the Australian record. Fanny won the hurdles in 11.7 seconds. Behind her were Shirley Strickland and Wilma Collins in a dead heat for second place. Blankers Koen later won the high jump with 4 feet 11 inches. The crowd of 23,000 was the biggest ever at a Womens Athletic meeting in Australia.—Assp-

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Complaint

Paris, January 23.

The French police continued preliminary investigations today of a complaint formally made by Madame Marchael, alleg-ing that the world middle-weight boxing champion, Marcel Cerdan, tied her to a had in a New York hotel and later farcibly put her on a Paris-bound

According to Madame Marchael, who had ac-companied the French cabaret singer, Miss Edith Plat, on a New York visit, Cerdan wanted her to return to Franco to provent her making allegations ro-garding his and Miss Pial's private lives .- Reu-

Turpin To

middleweight fight with Mitri, a chance, and would lead to the Italian title holder, at more completed games."

Trieste on February 12, ac- Naturally, this suggestion, cording to a statement by the coming from such an important June, will have a Italian Boxing Federation.

TRIBUTE PAID BADAN

The Kowloon Indian Tennis remedy. Here are some of the weight and has the appearance Club held its First Meeting yes- parvations made: of a new leather ball, complete terday, with Mr. Mahan Bingh,

Committee Members:- Mesers. strokes. Gopal Das, Hiro Advant. H. Rathour, Yusuf Khap, Koroz Ali, Iman Din and Dijagar Singh.

Washington, January 28. The Association of American Melbourne, January 22.

Railroads said rail freight movement during the second week Railroads said rail freight move-Dutch Olympic Gold Medallist, of January continued to run substantially below the volume for the corresponding period last year and the year-before,—Associated Press.

> **YISIT** MOTOR SHOW TO DAY

Hew Suggestions To Limit Power Of Cricket Bat

London, January 22. The worldwide spate of high scoring, with the great supremacy of the bottsman over the bowlen in the highest class of cricket, has led to now suggestjong for narrowing this difference and brightening cricket generally.

ne has tried it out id first class

and club cricket could any de-

motiv athors, as blooms happons

This is expected to give the

gives the bowlers something to

get their fingers on, and the big-

ger grip helps the ball to swing.

Walter Robins, former Of course, its success on failure Middlesex captain and one of an only be discovered by trial the leading advocates of brighter cylcket, has put forward a suggestion for a narrower bat finite views of put forward.
Robins suggestions led -three and a quarter inches against the present four and a quarter inches.

when any revolutionary idea is put forward. One is to leave made in cricket, such as the width and, possibly, the height width and, possibly, the height width of the wicket, the bize of of the stumps, which would give the ball, the leg-before-wicket the baylor a more sporting rule and so on, but the but has change of laxing them lay,

Robins, in making this novel suggestion, declared: "Year after year, batting averages grow bigger and there seems no limit to premium on victory with nothing to a first innings win.

Home, January 22.

Dick Turpin, the British change by indifferent the game are a ball with an intrology bat would prevent centure batsmen, would give the bowler to prove their worth. The name middleweight fight with Mitri, a change and would lend to ball to be tried out by every

two matches of the cricket personage as Robins, has thread instead of received careful consideration in eight. The winner, it is added, will received careful consideration in meet Cyrillo Delanadit for the British press but, on balance, Bolgian's European middleweight there does not seem to be any decided move in layour of it. Turpin and Mitri fought a draw Batamen naturally are against bowlers more assistance, partiwhen they first mot in an elimination of bowlers generally for it cularly to exponents of swing but there are sundry qualificationally bowlers.

The Trieste fight will take place tions to its support. There are another former Middlesex over 12 rounds in a hangar at the of course, the usual staunch captain, "Gubby." Allen, who semplane base, and as Trieste is conservatives who would be also captained England, is resMitri's home town, a sellout of the lagainst any change in the game ponsible for the experiment.

8,000 sents is confidently expect. Whatever it was, who say that the got the idea when he picked the game of cricket is all right up a 1986 ball, which he had as it is and are opposed to never used. It feels bigger,

linkering with its laws. Not Too Sure SINGH lor changes do not appear to be The latest plastic ball, which too sure that this is the true comes within the regulation

bresiding.

It would end County and club with stitches, has been tried out by Alf Sover, the former Surrey of the club and England fast bowler, who o Mr. Badan Singh, who died betamen who find it hard enough recently, for the work which he had put in after the liberation.

The following officials were elected:

President: Mr. Mahan Singh; Wr. F. E. Melwani, Hon. Secretary, Mr. J. S. Grewai and Hop. Treasurer, Mr. Dayaram.

Tennis representative: Mr. the wicket. It would spoil the best batsmen's crowds they are attracting in the best batsmen's crowds they are attracting in the best batsmen's crowds they are attracting in the

fluency of the best batsmen's crowds they are attracting in the

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ces. 147, Argyle Street, Kow-

By Order of the Board of

P.W.A. WOOD.

Secretary & Chief Accountant.

Hong Kong, January 18, 1949.

NOTICE

COMPANIES (Reconstruction

of Records) ORDINANCE

1947, AS AMENDED BY

ANGLO AMERICAN

STEVEDORING COMPANY,

LIMITED.

during 1941-1945 lost

The above Company has

Memorandum of Association

and is unable to secure a copy thereof and it is accordingly

proposed to adopt a new

Memorandum pursuant to the

provisions of Section 9 of the

abovementioned Ordinance, A

Memorandum may be inspected

at the Company's registered office situate at No. 7, Queen's

Road Central, Hong Kong, by any member or creditor of the

before the 4th March, 1949,

Companies, Supreme Court,

Hong Kong, with an address

for service within the Colony

"of such person, firm or cor-

Dated the 14th day of Jan-

WILKINSON & GRIST,

Solicitors for the abovenamed

poration objecting.

uory, 1949.

ORDINANCE NO. 29 OF 1948.

POWER COMPANY

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS

₩ 1949-Issue Shares

26th January 1949.

V. KENNIFF

Director of Public Works.

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and Survey Office. ...

Land will be held at P.W.D.

Headquarters on Monday, the

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at the Factory Building of The Orient Tobacco Manufactory C. Ingenohl Ltd.

582, Nathan Road, Kowloon, as advertised, and NOT at the auction rooms of Messrs. Lammert Brothers.

MARSMAN HONGKONG CHINA LIMITED

Notice is hereby given that the Seventh Ordinary General Meeting of the Company will be held at the registered office of the Company, Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Building, Hongkong, on Monday, the seventh a.m. to receive the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the period 1st May, \$2.00 per copy. Obtainable at all 1947 to 30th April, 1948, to Leading Book Stores and "China elect Directors, to appoint Auditors and to transact any other ordinary business of the Com-

at all leading Book Stores and Pany. The Transfer Books and Register of Members of the Com-BCRIBBLING PADS---100 pages pany will be closed from Moner 50 cents each. On sale at 1 "China Mail" office, Windsor day, the twenty-fourth day of January, to Monday, the seventh day of February, 1949, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,

W. RAWITZ, Director

11th day of April 1949 at 3.00. January 23, 1949.

THE BANK OF EAST ASIA, LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Thirtleth Ordinary Yearly Meeting of this Company, will be held at the Registered Office of The Company No. 10, Des Voeux Road, Central, on Saturday, the 12th February, 1949 at 2.30 p.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Board of Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1948 and to elect Directors and appoint Auditors.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be closed from Saturday, 5th February, 1949 to Saturday, 12th February, 1949, (both days inclusive) during which period no transfer of shares can be registered.

By Order of the Board of

Directors,

KAN TONG PO, Chief Manager.

locu, on and from Wednesday, Hong Kong, January 24, 1949.

NOTICE ALL members of HKVDC

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!

CORPS DINNER

When the new Hong Kong Defence Force Ordinance comes

into operation the HKVDC will automatically cease to exist. On the last night, which will be on or about 9th February it is proposed to hold a dinner for all past and present members of the Corps. In order to assist 'in catering anyone wishing to attend is asked to write in to the Adjutant at the following address as soon as, possible.

Headquarters HKVDC. Garden Road, Hong Kong.

Admission to the dinner will be by ticket ONLY so please book early. For further details watch the Press and Corps Orders.

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January 24, 1949.

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erection of a modern Cinema Theatre, Hotel. Department Store or the like. Situate on the corner of Nathan Road and Dundas Street. Area: 51610 square feet. Frontages: West side on Nathan Road 161 Feet 4; Inches, South side on Dundas Street 320 Feet, North side on other portions of Kowloon Inland Lot, No. 1203 320 Feet, East Side on other portions of Kowloon Injand Lot No. 1203 181 Feet 41 Inches.

On This Lot Are Erected: (1) Ten temporary shops fronting on Nathan Road now let on monthly tenancies. (2) The valuable factory building of the Orient Tobacco Manufactory C: Ingenobl Ltd. as now damaged.. Part of the Lot at the rear of the factory building of an area of approximately 6150 square feet is now let on a monthly tenancy as open storage. The tenant has undertaken in writing to vacate on the 28th February, 1949.

This Lot with its large frontages on Nathan Road and Dundas Street is one of the largest and most valuable sites in the Mongkok area of Nathan Road now available for development. The factory building could at comparatively little expense easily be converted for use as a Hotel, School, Office Block, Department Store or the like. LOT NO. 3.

Situate on the corner of Soy Street and the proposed extension of Sai Yeung Choi Street. Area: 1105 square feet. Vacant possession will be given on completion. LOTS NO. 4 TO 9 INCLUSIVE. Situate on Soy Street. Area: 1040 square feet for each Lot. Vacant, possession will be given

on completion of Lots 4 to 7. Lots 8 and 9 are let as open storage on a monthly tenancy. Notice to quit has been given to the tenant. . LOT NO. 10. ..

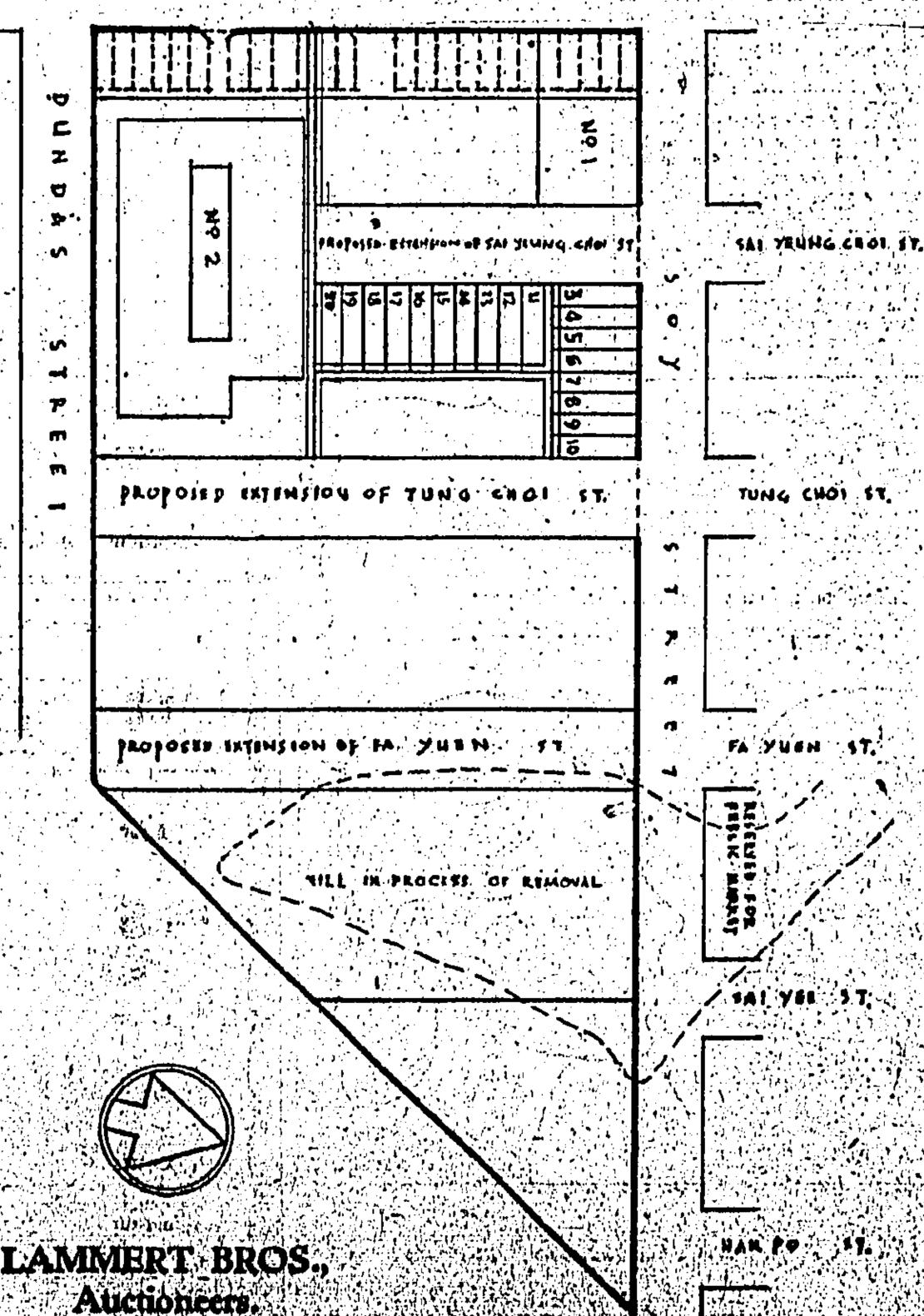
Situate on the corner of Boy. Street and other portions of Kowloon Inland Lot No. 1203. Area: 1105 square feet. This Lot is also let as open storage on a monthly tenancy. Notice to quit has been given to the tenant. LOT NO. 11.

Situate on the proposed extension of Sal Yeung Choi Steet. Area: 1458.435 square feet. Vacant possession will be given on completion: LOTS NOS. 12 TO 19 INCLUSIVE. Situate on proposed extension of Sai Yeung Choi Street. Area: 1040. square feet for each Vacant possession will be given on completion.

Bitunto on proposed extension of Sai Yeung Choi Street. Area: 1458.435 . square, feet. Vacant possession will be given on completion. All the Lots are held under a Crown Lease for Seventy-five years (renewable for a further term of Beyenty-five years) from the 28th day of January, 1907. No building covenant is

attached to the Lois sold. The Purchaser of each Lot will be required to pay a proportion of the Crown Rent calculated at the rate of approximately \$8.00 per 1,000 square feet of the area purchased. Coples of the Conditions of Bale can be obtained and the plan showing the situation and breas of the lots to be sold can be seen at the office of the Vendors, 16B Des Voetx Road. Central, Mezzanine Floor, Gloucester Building, or at the office of Messrs. Descons, Solicitors for the Vendors, 'I Des Voeux Road," Central (First Floor) of at the office of the undersigned during business hours or at the Eactory Building of the Orient Tobacco Manufactory C. Ingenohl Ltd: 582 Nathan Road, Mongkok Kowloon.





CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



"The accident itself wasn't much! Most of this is the result of a little discussion the other driver and I had - afterward!" .

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE By Shepard Barclay "The Authority on Authorities"

'EASY' TO REMEMBER calls out of rotation in such a should bid more than seven, or simple way that they are easy should double or redouble when to remember. The first provision required by Law to pass, he is regarding them is that any such deemed to have passed and both call is vold and the auction re- he and his pariner must thereverte to the player whose turn after pass whenever it is their it is to call. The moderate sim- side's turn, and furthermore if ple penalties, to prevent damage the offender becomes a defender to: the non-offending side, are the declarer may require or forwith the call was a pass before lied suit.

other out of rotation call, the of- one. attention is drawn to a call out other defender's turn to lead. of rotation by his left-hand op- A player who did not hear a pohent; the auction continues as call distinctly may require it to if the out of rotation call had be repeated, but there is no re-

not been made Any call mude simultaneously understanding or misinformation. with any, other player's proper A player has the right to have call is deemed to be a subsequent previous calls restated whenever

redoubles, naming an incorrect Only an opponent should answer denumination or number of his question. The dummy, or tricks, he is deemed to have any player required by Law to doubled or redoubled the one pass, should not ask restatement actually made. If a player dou- of calls, but may review the bles or! redoubles a bid already auction at an opponent's request doubled or redoubled by his and should correct any errors in aide, he must substitute any pro- some-one else's - restatement. pet call and his partner must Following the opening lead, the thereafter pass whenever it is declarer or a defender may be his turn to call; if he decides to informed what the contract is pass, either opponent may cancel and whether but not by whom previous doubles, and redoubles, it was doubled or redoubled. If a player should double his

doubles when there has been no mature leads and plays, and bid, he must substitute any leads and plays, and leads out proper call and his partner must of turn.

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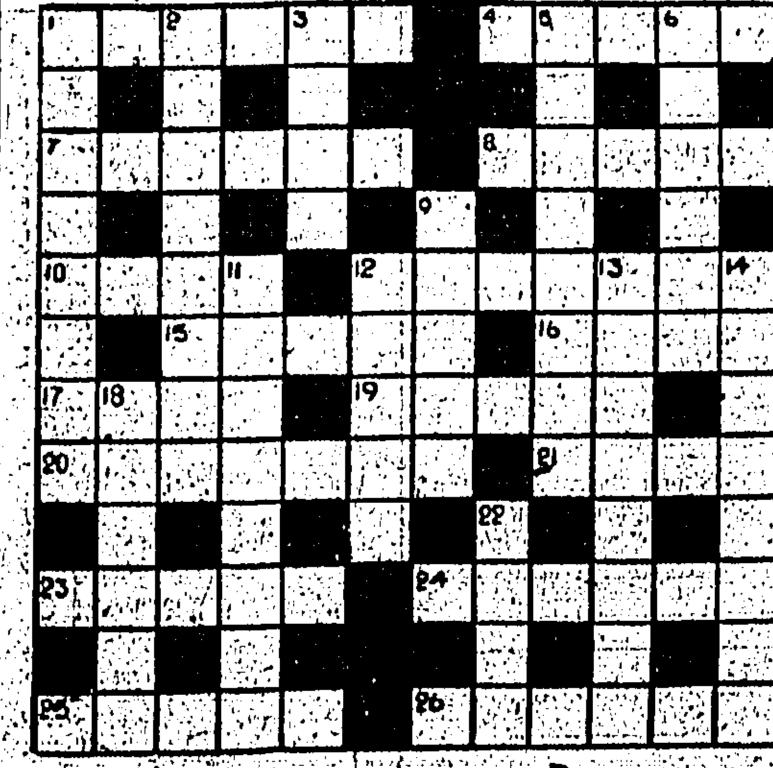
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tenders partner must pass when- It a player calls after the aucever thereafter it is his turn to tion is closed, it is cancelled, call. A call is not out of rota- and if it is a pass by a defender tion if without waiting for the or any call by the declarer's. right-hand opponent to pass side there is no penalty. A But . when that opponent is required if it is a bid, double or redouble to pass because of a Law in- by a defender, the declarer may fringement, If a player whose require or forbid the lead of a turn It was should call before specified suit when first it is the

dress for a call based on a misit is his turn, or after the nuc-Whenever a player doubles or tion but before the opening lead.

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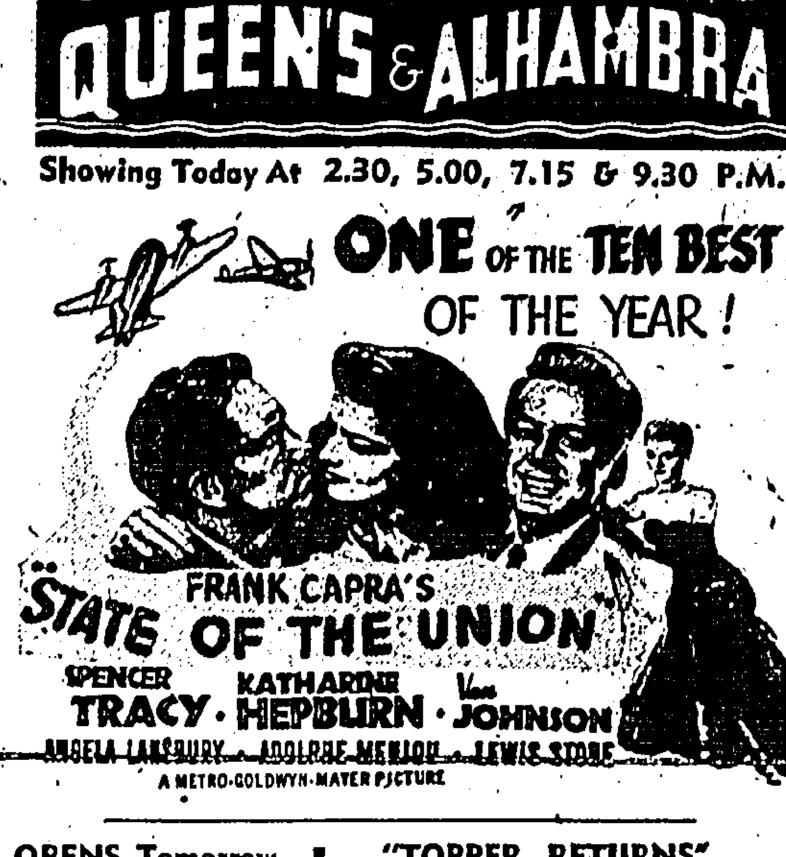
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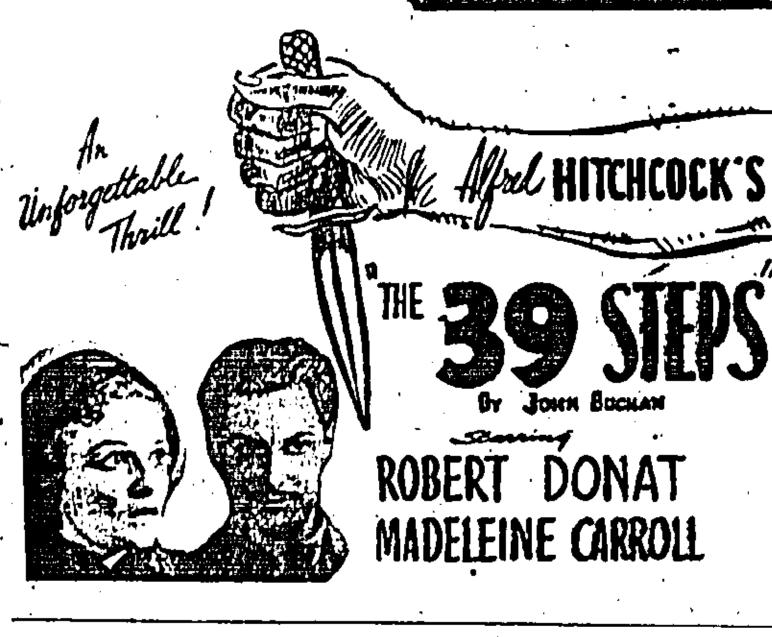


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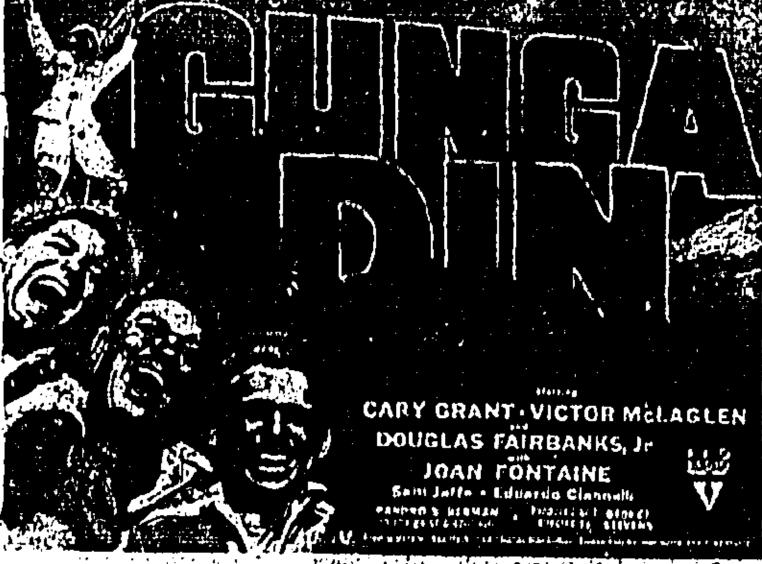
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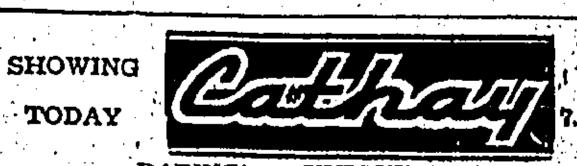
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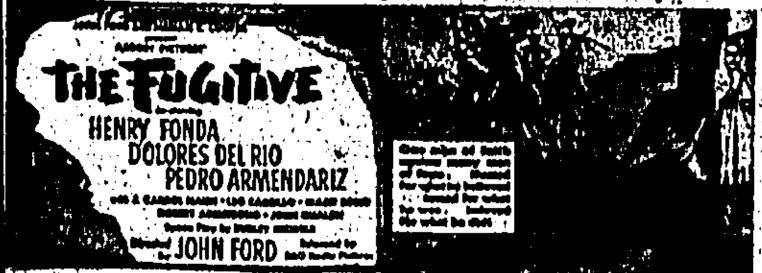
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Airliner Disappears'

Miami, Florida,

January 22. The search for the British American Alrways liner, Star Arlei, which disappeared on a flight from Bermuda to Jamaica five days ago with, 20 'people on board, ended last night, the Coast Guard Air-Sea Rescue Headquarters announced here

today. No trace was found, the announcement said, although a search over the vast area was carried out by the Coast Guard Air Force, Navy and British planes and surface craft, including two United States Navy Task Forces .-Reuter.

Endorses Programme

Washington, January 22. President Truman's proposal to use American technical skill and enpital to develop the backward areas of the world was endorsed today by Mr. John Mc-1 Cloy, President of the International Reconstruction and velopment Bank.

President Truman proposed the President Truman proposed the This is Radio Hong Kong plan in his inaugural address on broadcasting on a frequency of

the President's scheme was enfirely in line with the principles H.K.T. of the World Bank.

ing of \$8,000,000,000, was always encouraging and financing schemes to this end, he said. The difficulty was not so much to find the dollars 'as to find technicians, and President Truman's proposals should go far to fill this gap. Morshall Plan officials also

said they were keenly interested in the programme. They said the Marshall Plan or-

ganisation for European Economic Co-operation in Paris is already preparing a four-year programme for the development of backward nrens.

The Trumon programme for an expansion of American private investment overseas would be a logical development of the Marshall Plan itself, Although the Truman pro-

gramme might concentrate on under-developed areas outside Europe, it would greatly assist European powers, particularly the Colonial powers, by increasing world purchasing power and productivity and providing market for European, as well as American goods, ECA officials

added. · President Truman's programme was also endorsed today by the inter-American Economic and Social Council, the body responsible for economic co-operation among the 21 nations of the Western Hemisphere.-Reuter.

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WRAC Becomes Part Of Regular Army

London, January 22. The War Office has announced that a Royal Warrant is to be issued constituting the Women's Royal Army Corps which will be formed on February 1 as a corps in the Regular Army.

with the Royal Air Force on but will be required to be avail-February 1.

WRAC officers and other ranks will, with minor, exceptions and gulations to the same extent as

Commissioning and enlistment engagements will be permitted to modify them, After this, they can will follow the normal procedure for the Regular Army, No serving officers or other ranks of the ATS will be compelled to join wishing to serve under the new bers of the WRAC may complete terms will continue their bers of the warne may complete 22 years of service and qualify for pensions.

The age limits for non-serving applicants to join the WRAC

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Mr. McCloy told Reuter that 9.52 megacycles per second in the 31 metre band.

12.80 p.m .- Daily Programme Summary, The Bank, with a capital back- 12.82 p.m.-Melodies from British Radio. ers Dance Band with Barbara Sumner (Vocal) (BBCTS), 1.00 p.m .- Otto Dobrindt and His Plane Symphonists.

1.15 p.m.-News, Weather Report and Announcements. 1.25 p.m.—Ethel Smith—Rhythm ganist and Orchestra. 1.35 p.m .- Tchaikowsky:

Wedding" Ballet ... London Philharmonic Orchestra. 2.00 p.m Close Down. 6.00 p.m .- Programme Summary. 6.01 p.m .- "it's Swing Time." 6.10 p.m .-- Portuguese

7.00 p.m.-World News and News Anulysis. (London Relay) Jonathan 7.80 p.m .- Hospital Request Half Hour

Presented by Nan Dickinson, 8.00p.m.—"From the Editorials" (London

8.30 p.m .- "T Like What I Like" prosented by Jake Jacob, (Studio) 9.00 p.m.-Jean Cavall Entertains. 9.15 p.m.-Linda Cater Tilks on Films.

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This follows the announce | will be 18 to 30. Exceptions will ment that the Women's Royal be made for ex-Servicewomen. Air Force will be integrated Married women may be accepted able for general service

ATS auxiliaries serving on the duration of emergency engagemodifications, be subject to the tions will be required to enlist on Army Act and the King's Rean initial engagement of four nembers of any other corps of years with the colours. Auxiliaries serving on other

extend their colour service for a further four years. A quota of women will be new corns. Apyone not allowed to extend their service

> The enlistment will be for general service 'at home and overseas. Women under 19 or with less than six months service will not be normally posted erseas.—Router.

Minor Gains For Jap Communists

Tokyo, January 22. Japanese Communists pre-George Crow and His Dius Marin- dicted they would make a sub- China and evidence that Russia. stantial but not a sensational was turning her eyes increasing-

Even optimistic party leaders said they did not expect the effects of the China war or domestic unrest to halt the apparfor House Representatives. They claimed they would win

12 seats of 466 seats in the Lower House and would poll around 2,000,000 votes. This would be a gain of 8 seats—a figure conceded 7.18 p.m.—"The Adventures of Chol- by most of their opponents—and nearly 1,000,000 votes. Despite prospects of good

weather, most Japanese observers predicted a relatively light vote the principal role of Australia to select representatives from 1,- and New Zealand would probably 365 candidates. A total of 41,- be the provision of air and naval 8.10 p.m.—Engilah Madrigats sung by 760,000 are eligible to cast bal- forces. The main ground forces the Cambridge University Madrigal lots, including over 21,000,000 would be supplied by India and

In' 1947. 67.9 per cent of a

Prime Minister Shigeru Yoshida's ultra-conservative Liberal Democratic Party was generally 10.00 p.m.-Radio News Roel. (London expected to pick up between 50 and 60 seats for the largest in-Boyd Neel String Orefiestra. give the party between 200 and crease in strength. This would 210 representatives -- somewhat their Legations to the status of 11.15 p.m.—Weather Report and Close short of the majority Yoshida Embassies, the State Department wanted.-Associated Press.

a Triumph of British Engineering

U.S. Officer Dies In Greece

'Athens, January 22. A U.S. Army observer in Qreece, Lieutenant Colonel Golden R. Ebner, of Callfornia, is reported to have been killed in an air orash in the Karpenissi area in Central Greece on Friday. Ebner had a distinguished war record and had been

awarded British and American decorations. it is uncertain whether the plane crashed because of a mechanical defect or was. hit by guerilla anti-aircraft

The U.B. and Greek military authorities; are investigating.—Associated Press.

Australia, ., To Join Forces !

Sydney, January 22. Australia and New Zealand might soon join with India, Pakistan and Ceylon in forming a Far East regional defence Council, the Canberra correspondent of the Sydney Sunday Herald claimed today.

'The Council will frame joint! defence measures to deal with any threat to the Commonwealth countries in the Pacific and Indian Ocean areas, the correspondent

The Communist successes in gain in the third general elec- ly towards Asia were understood tion under occupation tomor- to have hastened the plans for a joint defence consultation between the five Dominions.

The correspondent said it was made clear at the Commonwealth Premiers meeting in Lonent conservative trend in voting don last October that because of Britain's economic manpower difficulties and her commitments in Europe, the Dominions must shoulder a greatly increased share in Empire de ence and that the Pacific and Asian Dominions could no longer rely on the protection of the Royal Navy.

> In the new joint defence plans, Pakistun.

Ceylon's most important consmaller electrorate went to the tribution would be the vital strategic naval base at Trincomalee.—Reuter.

> Washington, January 22. The United States and Saudi Arabia have agreed to raise announced today.—Reuter.

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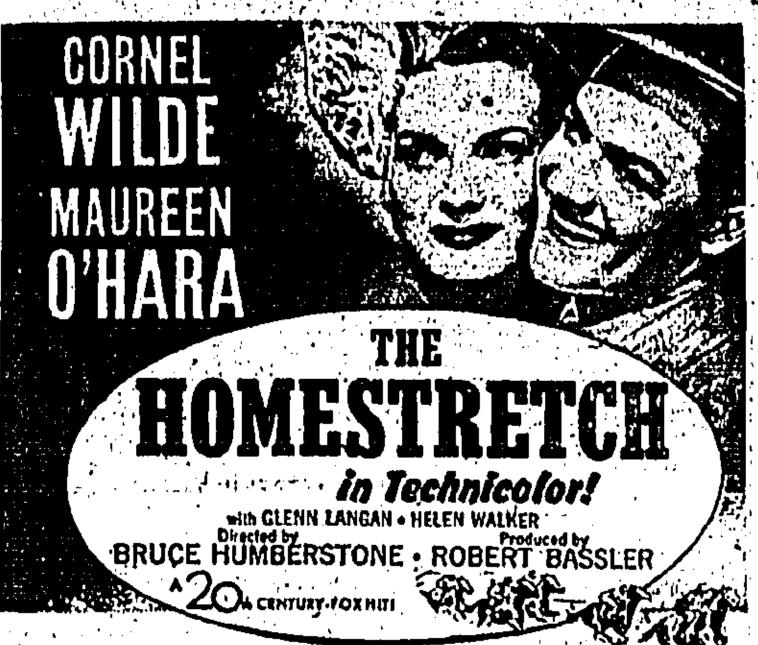
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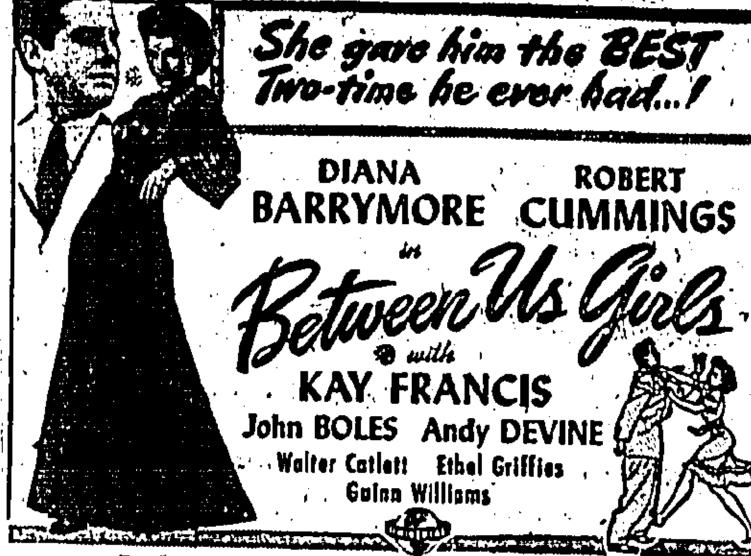
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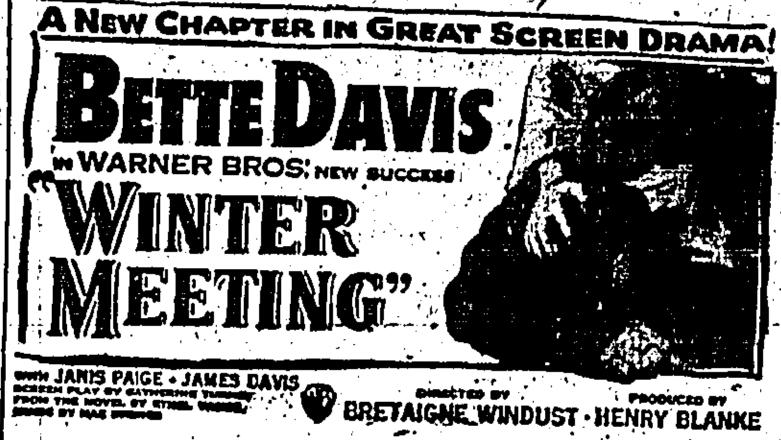
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The projected attack for Febbeginning of . a series of blows that we were planning to complete the destruction of the Germans West of the Rhine. I want-24354 ed to pass to the general oriensive as quickly as possible because I was convinced that in the Batile of the Bulge the enemy had committed all of his remaining reserves. I counted on a greatly weakened resistance from that moment onward, both because of losses suffered by the Germans' and because of the January 12. Already we had reports that it was making great progress and it was obvious that the quicker we could attack the

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CHINA AND

PEACE

News of Generalissimo

Chiang Kai-shek's "tempor-

ary resignation" from the

highest office of the land did

Nanking to seek peace with

the Communists have been

in the air since the fatal.fall

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up showing any interest as

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CHAPTER 19 CROSSING THE RHINE

to avoid defeat.

ALL DURING, THE BATTLE OF THE BULGE WE CON-TINUED to plan for the final not come unexpectedly offensive blows which, Rumours that he would step started, we intended to maintain down to enable tottering incessantly until defeat of Germany. Operations were planned in three general phases, beginning with a series of attacks along the front to destroy of Mukden and the flasco at German armies West of Rhine. The next phase would comprise the crossing of that river and establishment of major bridgeheads. Thereafter

have caught many officials in | would initiate the final advances al- | that we were sure would carry |

of the Red Army coming from much of our bombing effort from replace him by another com- North of the Ruhr and the British whole plan that he suggested I the East and it now became im- targets in the heart of Germany, mander, portant to arrange closer co-or. Another advantage that our On the other hand, the British plying that my plans were drawn Smith, to Malta to participate in dination with the activities of strategic bombers now enjoyed Chiefs in London maintained up on nationalistic considerations, a conference that was to take place way open for a Napoleonic the Red Army. During earlier was better protection from action the war, the closest To this I retorted: "I am certifier between the President, the return should the peace campaigns we had been kept in- companying fighters. Groups kind of daily contact with their tainly no more anxious to put Prime Minister, and their respecmakers fail in their efforts, formed of the general intentions of fighters could be located at own commanders in the field and Americans into the thick of the live staffs before they went on to should be regarded, however, of the Soviet forces by the Com- forward fields near the Rhine insisted upon being constantly battle and get them killed than Yalta. He remarked: "I can, of provided sufficient co-ordination tively short range, could operate plans, and situation. This habit losses. I have strengthened Mont- ly on the principle that these served his purpose. Riding as the two zones of operations territory. into power on a wave of were widely separated. Now, By this time also the air offenhowever, the time had come to sive had achieved remarkable me raised in the tradition of the way can I provide the strength is so sound that I think it better

curtain call was anything In early January, 1945, with Marshal Tedder to Moscow to effects of this offensive acmake necessary arrangements for bands and official fanfare, this co-ordination. He was acwith only the heads of the companied by Major General transportation and in all phases five Yuan present to wish Harold R. Bull and Brigadier of her war effort. It had & de-General T. J. Betts, two able finite influence upon the ground

early: Westward attack from must, first, locate the elusive Secondly, the peace adad through the Combined Chiefs many. Our own development of the line. ary 12 and made remarkable spring campaign.

The Communists have no progress. thing to lose by rejecting anything but unconditional are in a position to fight for could cost him the future loyalty of a large part of the would, at the very least, prevent serves but by January 1945; we the offensive that could be mainpeople who at present wish the German from reinforcing the for nothing more than an end Western' front by withdrawing forces from the Russian zone. The Chinese are known As a further result of this initial effort the Combined Chiefs

for their ability to take of Staff authorised me to com- DO YOU punishment in their stride as municate directly, with Moscow of their existence; on matters that were exclusively floods, famines and exploita- military in character. Later in tion by ruthless warlords the compaign my interpretation testify to that. At the mo- ly challenged by Mr. Churchill, ment, however, they are the difficulty arising out of the tired of war, inflation and insecurity. They may not be certain whether life under the Communists will be better to the than under the Karania on the different than under the Karania on the different transfer the transfer transfer the transfer tra

ter than under the Kuomin- friendly forces that are attacktang. They believe it could ing toward a common centre is be worse and fervently hope for more acute than it was in the days when fighting was confined to the ground, along a nar-row band of territory defined by the range of small arms and field

ruary 8-10 was to be merely the beginning of a series of blows Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower's Own Story Of The War In Europe

miles in his rear. Their purpose had such air strength and cm- line of equal strength to the is to find and destroy hostile ciency that we could afford it enemy's. We calculated that with headquarters, dumps, depots, without material damage to our the Western bank of the Rhine in and bridges and to attack re-primary mission. The effect of our possession we could hurl serve formations. Long before our bombing effort against jet some seventy-five reinforced widespread discouragement that I the two friendly armies them- production was at least partially divisions against the German in felt sure would overtake his selves can make contact there successful because the German Germany in great converging atarmies. Moreover-and this was arises a delicate problem in co- nover succeeded in employing a tacks, if we allowed the enemy very important—the Russians had ordination to prevent unfortunate sufficient number of the new South of the Ruhr to remain in opened their long-awaited and accidents and misunderstandings planes to damage us materially, the Siegried, we would be powerful winter offensive on between allied but separated Information concerning all limited to a single offensive by wary 25 and we had a long talk

the German could not again re- blue and the other in gray, more culties of the German war ma- Rhine obstacle. Moreover, the had also heard the proposal that inforce his West front in an effort than one sharp fight took place chine and encouraged me and all effect of the converging uttack is a single ground commander be not between units of the same army, my associates to believe that one multiplied when, it is accom- up. I explained our situation and side, where the mass formations to Hitler Germany. of planes and vehicles afford ob- toin, a considerable and, to me, the attacking columns and we information. The engineers had ters would demand more and with their commanders in the desired. more detailed attention as our field differed markedly from that I laboriously explained to Field saults could probably not be made advance progressed. But in which existed between similar Marshal Brooke that, far from over the Rhine until about the first January 1945 we needed pri- echelons in the British service. dispersing effort, I was con- of May. This opinion was so formarily to know the timing and The American doctrine has al-ducing the campaign so that cibly expressed that in my own direction of the next Russian ways been to assign a theatre when we were ready to initiate mind I had accepted the necessary,

man economy were becoming the man in the field knows more follow. The decisive advantage cross the river. Later our technical content of the tactical situation than in gaining the River along nical advice on this point was advances had effectively disrupt- some one removed by several its length was to increase drasti- markedly changed and we found ed the enemy's air warning and thousand-miles from the scene of cally the proportion of the Allled that it was feasible to cross the though the masses them- us into the heart of Germany defence system and had overrun action; and that if results obtain- forces that could be used offen- river, establish bridges, and mainand destroy her remaining many places particularly the ed by the field commander be sively. Western European ports where come unsatisfactory the proper I did not wholly convince him. of May. Somewhere during this final submarine nests were located—procedure is not to advise, adadvance we would meet portions which had formerly diverted monish, and harass him, but to

Army Group were deployed pressed by the soundness of the and, in spite of their compara-informed as to details of strength, I am to see the British take the course, whold your position mere-

> cumulated there developed a continuous crisis in German

Our only possible recourse was Air Chief Marshal Tedder and to attempt by our bombing effort January, the German enjoyed the his associates arrived in Moscow to delay German production of great advantage of the Siegfried surrender, since their armies just after this attack began. The this new weapon. The air defences in the area Northward Generalissimo and the Russian forces knew that extra-long from the Saar, inclusive. As long! military authorities received runways were required for the as we allowed him to remain in what is not handed to them them with the utmost cordiality employment of the jet plane and those elaborate fortifications his on a platter. Nevertheless, and there was a full and ac- whenever they found a German ability was enhanced to hold stubborness on the part of curate exchange of information field with such a runway they great portions of his long line Mao Tse-tung in insisting on Generalissimo informed our mis- repeated bombardment. In addi- while he concentrated for spoilunconditional surrender to sion that even if the attacks then tion they sought/out every area ing attacks at selected points. the point of carrying on the in progress should fall to reach where they believed these planes This meant that a large proporwar for another few months their designated objectives the were under construction. This tion of the Allied Force would Russians would keep up'a series caused some diversion from our be immobilised in a protective of continuous operations that objective of depleting oil re- role, with only that portion on

these things was gathered by our some thirty-five divisions.

to London a daily report covering in battle worth the blood it terference with our developing every item of information that in costs," our service would only in exceptional circumstances go higher ed the hope that things would ments in the matter were founded

informally but very carnestly directly under SHAEF. I re- "Thank God, Ike, you stuck by During the long winter lighting presented serious objections. His pudiated this suggestion, as I your plan. You were completely their positions around Warsaw, our Intelligence staffs began to questions were directed against always had before. I was certain right and I am sorry if my fear on the Vistula. We understood bring us disturbing information what he called the planned disturbing that our plans for the completion of dispersed effort added to your leaders of the Communists—that the Russians had effected that the Germans were making a task which does not appear concentrations for an offensive great progress in the developvery simple at the moment. by the first of the year, but be-ment of jet planes. Our air enough strength to mount more tirely aside from my feeling that when he chooses to quit. Thank cause of conditions of terrain commanders were of the opinion than one full-blooded attack the proposed arrangement would God you stuck by your guins." and, more particularly, because that if the enemy could succeed across the Rhine. Consequently, be fulle and clumsy, I was deter- The operational schedule for the vocates must, if past reports of thick blankets of fog and in putting these planes into the be said, in order to assure our mined to prevent any interference first phase of our strategic planare accurate, be prepared to cloud that interfered with air air in considerable numbers he selves of the strength to sustain with the exact and rapid execu- destruction of the German forces surrender Nationalist China operations, they were holding up would quickly begin to exact in- such an attack we should, as the tion of those plans. unconditionally. Here, the the attack until conditions should supportable losses from our situation then stood, pass to the In early January, I learned three major assaults. The first be more favourable. We learn- bombers operating over Ger- defensive on all other parts of that the President, the Prime would be by the Twenty-first Army

In the situation facing us in Marseilles. I went there on Jan-

could not logistically sustain more than thirty-five divisions. If, however, we should first, in a series of concentrated and powerful attacks, destroy the German forces West of the Rhine. the effect would be to give us all along the great front a defensive

Recognition of friend or foe on Intelligence services, which daily A second advantage of our saw it. the battlefield is never easy. In presented to me their calcula- plan would be the depletion of In Washington he had heard

In modern war, where all unl- more great campaign, aggres- panied by such air power as we outlined the exact stops by which forms are designed with the idea sively conducted on a broad had in Europe in the early we planned the defeat of Germany. of blending with the country- front, would give the death blow months of 1945. Through its use He was in full agreement. we could prevent the enemy At that time, however, there of the nineteenth century are I found, among some of the from switching forces back and was one miscalculation in our never seen, and where the speeds higher military officials of Bri- forth of will against either of plans, based upon faulty technical servers only a fleeting instant surprising opposition to my plan. could likewise employ our entire made many studies of the Rhine for decisive action, the problem The relationship maintained by air power at any moment, to River, based upon statistics coveris difficult to solve. These mat- the American Chiefs of Staff further the advance in any area ing a long period. They had re-

attack and to lay the ground-commander a mission, to provide the final invasion of Germany on delay and was planning not to work that would permit future him with a definite amount of the other side of the Rhine we start our major assaults across the battlefield co-operation.

force, and then to interfere as could bring such a concerted and did not of course affect any part By early 1945 the effects of little as possible in the execution tremendous power against him of our plans that were to be ex-

over almost any target in Axis may have been based upon sound gomery's army group by a full decisions fall within your sphere reasons of which I knew nothing, American army, since in no other of responsibility. But your plan exchange information of plans success in depleting the German American services, to find that essential for the rapid execution Malta so that he may explain these me, raised in the tradition of the North of the Ruhr that I deem for you to send General Smith to oil reserves. For many months the the British Chiefs regularly of my plans, I have not devised matters in detail. Their logic will enemy's oil resources had been queried their commanders in the any plan on the basis of what be convincing." I was, glad to but glorious. Picture the the approval of the Combined one of the principal objectives field concerning tactical plans, individual or what nation gets agree because I well knew that President of China leaving Chiefs of Staff, I sent Air Chief of strategic bombing and as the For example, the British com- the glory, for I must tell you with General Marshall backing me mander was required to submit in my opinion there is no glory up there could be no danger of in-

Field Marshal Brooke express-

may be encountered, alof Staff, however, that even if jet planes was progressing in the though it is highly possible these conditions failed to show United States and in Great Bright encountered, alof Staff, however, that even if jet planes was progressing in the crimes in warfare, but as with Spalin, this time at Yalta. General group in the centre and the third, and other generalities the proper Marshall, proceeded separately a converging attack by Bradley. that the Chinese method of improvement the Russian attack tain but we were not yet for all other generalities the proper Marshall proceeded separately a converging attack by Bradley. give and take bargaining would be launched no later than enough along to count on application of the truth is far from the rest of the American and Devers to eliminate the enemy January 15. It began on Janu- squadrons of them during the more important than mere know- group into Europe, and I ar garrison in the Saar Basin. ranged to meet him secretly at

tained North of the Ruhr. In that single zone of advance we

about the situation as we then

our own War Between the States, tions and conclusions. These the German forces later to be symblings of the British Staff's where one side was clad in the emphasised the mounting diffi met at the crossings of the dissatisfaction with our plans and

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Field Marshal Brooke's argutemporary absence becomes more a flight into exile.

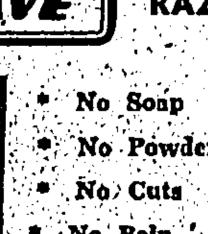
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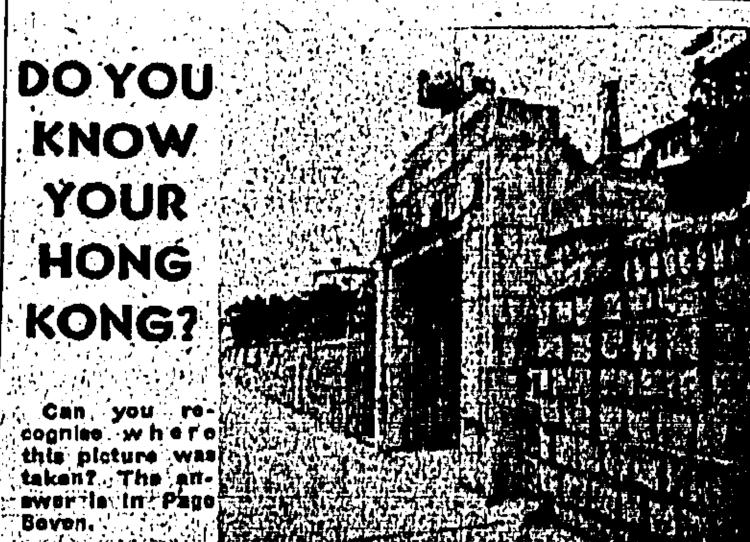
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Athens, January 22. guns. Today the fighter bombers Boven.

The Greek Cabinet tonight supporting an attacking army decided to impose press censor constantly range over the enemy ship on military news.—Reuter, lines, sometimes hundreds of



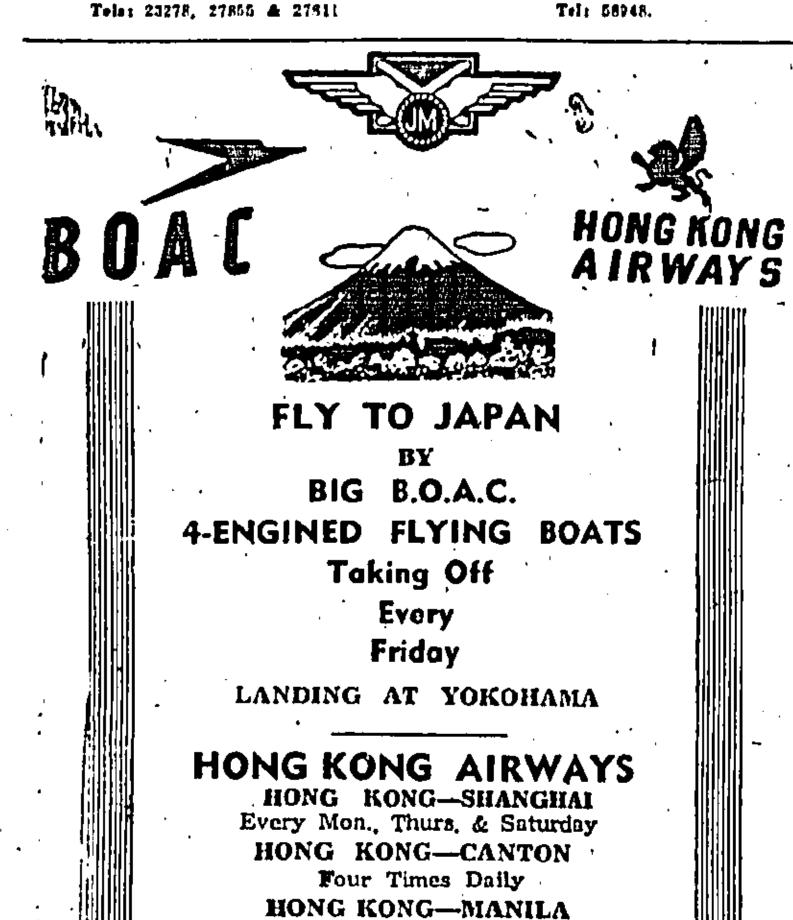


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Asia Conference Appeals To UN

Cripps Answers Hecklers

London, January 22. Sir Stafford Cripps, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, told hecklers at a meeting at Bristol tonight | that Russia would like to see Britain and ly disarmed, because "it would make their job so much easier." not make the British Government reduce the country's armaments, Sir Stafford sald.

ford replied: "We want steel problem of Indonesia.
and food, don't we?"

bombs in them?"

Sir Stafford: oranges, too. They are one of the most important factors in the health of our children."

out them."

Sir Stafford: "They cannot do without them, and they will not do without them as long as we are in power."

to reduce the high export rate should not be taken as an inmic recovery, but if present conference's determination to policies were continued Britain press for establishment of a free would have every chance of United States of Indonesia with reaching complete independence considerable Republican partiin three or four years .- Reuter, cipation,

FLAGRANT BREACH OF UN CHARTER

New Delhi, January 23.

The Asian conference demanded on Saturday that the United Nations call a halt on Dutch empirical rule of Indonesia.

The 20 nations called for immediate end of Dutch military action in Indonesia, calling it a "flagrant breach of the United Nations charter" which endangers the peace of South East Asia and the world.

the rest of the world complete. The conference also advocated swift steps to give " the people of the East Indies self-rule.

Member nations agreed to leave | Obliquely, they phrased a rement reduce the country's armabehind them a foundation on which referred to article
which they could build a permanent Asian bloo and to reconsanctions but does mention the main reason for the decision aland the printing of the printing of the decision aland the printing of the printing of the decision alarticle under which sanctions lowing frontier Chinese to enter
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Officially, the conference stopped short of a spoken call for economic sanctions to back up manded: A voice: "They can do with- the United Nations orders to the Netherlands. Delegates said they added their desires are clear Republican President Sockarno.

U.S. Resolution Would End In Chaos

The Hague, January 22. The Security Council's United States-sponsored tosolution on Indonesia would result in chaes in Indonesia and the Netherlands if allowed to stand as it was Dr. D. U. Stikker, the Dutch Foreign Minister, said here tonight.

He was speaking at the annual tions, the responsibility for maindinner of the Dutch Foreign taining law and order. Press Association.

role in the solution of Holland's States in introducing the resoluproblems in Indonesia has con- tion now before the Security stantly increased, Dr Stikker Council." added: "The American representative in the Security Council has taken a most important ponsible for the maintenance of initiative in introducing a resolu-tion_by_which_the_powers_of_the clair period_of the_elections and Committee of Good Offices are the formation of an all-Indonegreatly increased.

"By adopting the rule of a majority vote, the American decide vital issues for Indonesia and determine the course of

grateful for the preponderant or police." part the United States had play-

it has taken and still takes in a stalled: fair and equitable solution of the

take over from The Netherlands, dence and democracy, but also The conference pledged its in the period until the United on trivial issues. States of Indonesia- take their "The United Nations will end if it applies the measures rerightful place among the sover- up dealing with local politics."-- commended by the Asian nations. eign members of the United Na- Reuter.

"We do not' believe this has

Saying that the United States' been the intention of the United federal states in the Islands,

Dr. Stikker said the Commission is not and cannot be ressian Government.

"The intervention of the member of the newly-styled United Nations in the inter- assembly United Nations Commission on the present stage of international 10. Transfer of sovereignty to organisation, there is no such the Indonesian government for thing as an effective ad- next January 1. ministration by the United Nations, because the United Nations one now pending before Dr. Stikker said they were all have no army, no navy, air force Security Council at Lake Suc-

today in maintaining world peace. extreme. The efforts now under orders if the United Nations ob- Chiang fought the Japanese for way to establish an all-Indone- servers and violations. "We know that the United sian Interim Government in In- To back up their resolution, Pearl Harbour and that if Gen-States has far-reaching respon- donesia by direct conversations the conferees agreed to ask eralissimo Chiang had not drainsibilities in many parts of the between all political groups, in- participating governments to exworld. We appreciate the interest cluding the Republicans, will be plore feasibility of a regional tions then, we would probably be

Indonesian problem.

"But we do not believe, and we have no reason to believe, interested that the United States intends to of life and death and independent of the limits of his responsibilities. The limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities. The limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities. The limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities. The limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities. The limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities. The limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities is the limits of his responsibilities.

seized the case.

1. Immediate Dutch release

The Chancellor said there was Delegates said omission of can Government to power on overstay the permitted time. no prospect of Britain being able mention of economic sanctions March 15 in areas it held in Java, Sumatra and Madocra beto reduce the high export rate should not be taken as an in-needed for the country's econo- dication of any weakening of the fore the Dutch troops moved in ern Shan States will look after 3. Restoration of Jogjakarta the welfare of the Chinese nato the Republicans as their capi- tionals.

Dutch troops from conquered abandoned after one such clash. an outside agency.

trade restrictions and free access threat to Burma's independence. for Republicans to communica- -- Associated Press. tion with all the world.

Establishment of an interim indonésian Government by March 19. This would be composed of representatives of the Republic together with representatives of other. East Indies territories. It would ban formation of any further regional

ch troops to be withdrawn from inept diplomacy." all the East Indies on a date specified by a United Nations wrote in a letter to the Editor of Pending that date, Dutch froops law and order without a request driven to Formosa or Canton, and HONG KONG TO: from the interim government. in Indonesia

The time table is the same

The conference also demanded ed in defeating the aggressors of "In my opinion, such a situation that the Council use its powers had forgotten that the Nationalist Western civilisation and her part tion will be dangerous in the to compel compliance with its government of Generalissimo

> organisation of Aslan nations, fighting in the Far East today. created within the United Nations Associated Press."

support to the Security Council -Associated Press.

Chinese May Enter Burma

Rangoon, January 23. The Burmese Government authorised the entry into Burma on a temporary basis of Chinese whose homes adjoin the Eastern frontier lands of the Kachins and Shans, an jomcial statement here said.

At this parts of the border Chinese and Burmese living there often cross over, into each other's territory for trading via a wooden bridge spanning a narrow stream separating Burma from China.

Burma. It was reached after t special meeting at the Foreign One resolution called the Office here of Shan and Kachin The resolutions, adopted in Dutch conquest of Republican officials. (The labour is needed closed session, will be entered in areas of Indonesia in December a for the approaching six-month located in the Shan lands). At winter's end the Chinese "seasonal Specifically the conference de- labourers" are expected to return

'Identity cards and temporary did not want to seem to threaten of political prisoners seized in immigration permits will be issuthe world organisation. They the "police action," including ed without charge to Chinese seeking work in Burma. Frontier authorities, will check the im-2. Restoration of the Republi- migrants to ensure they do not

> A newly established Chinese Consulate at Lashlo in the North-

In the past, illegal immigration along this part of the border 4. Granting Republicans full caused friction between Burmese permission to move about their and Chinese authorities. Clashes own and other areas of Indone- in which Burmese frontier guards i were killed or injured were re-5. Complete withdrawn of year. A customs outpost was areas by March 15 with this Recent reports that large num-withdrawal to be supervised by bers of Chinese were crossing illegally into Burma caused a furore in the Burmese press, 6. Removal of Dutch imposed which saw in this infiltration a

Yarnell Asks Washington, January 23.

Admiral H. E. Yarnell, retired former Commander in governments. The Dutch have Chief of the US Asiatic Fleet. been sponsoring establishment of said yesterday the United States is in danger of losing the good 8. Interim government control will of the Chinese through over its armed forces with Dut- "ignorance of the Far East and

. "Some of it can be saved," he body or the interim government, the Washington Post, "if we continue our recognition of the Nashould not be used to maintain tionalist government, even if it is refuse our recognition to any 9. Election of a constituent Chinese element which follows the by dictates of Moscow."

Admiral Yarnell's letter was prompted by a recent statement of Representative Sol Bloom, Democrat of New York, that "Gencralissimo Chiang Rai-shek and the gang around him will have to the be kicked out before China can be defended against the Com-

munists." Admiral Yarnell said Mr. Bloom ed Japan's manpower and muni-

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Photograph shows the ontrance of La Salle College.

closed session, will be entered in areas of Indonesia in December a conference records at the final "flagrant breach of the United winter season, a period for commercing on Sunday. It will be Nations charter" and said the Nations charter and said t

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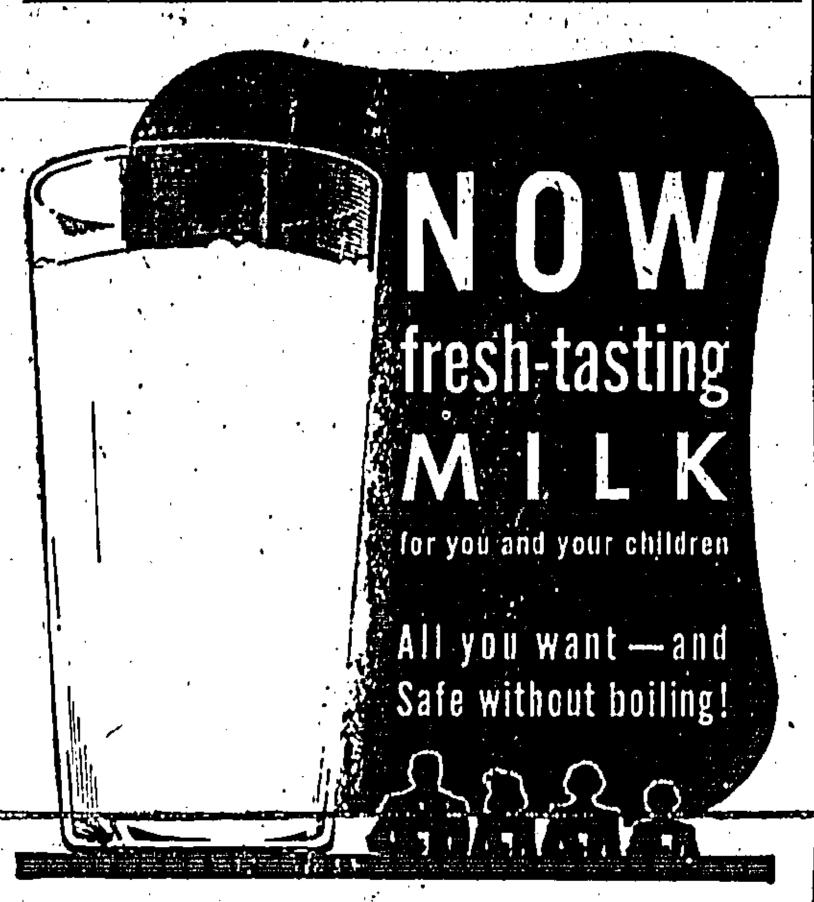
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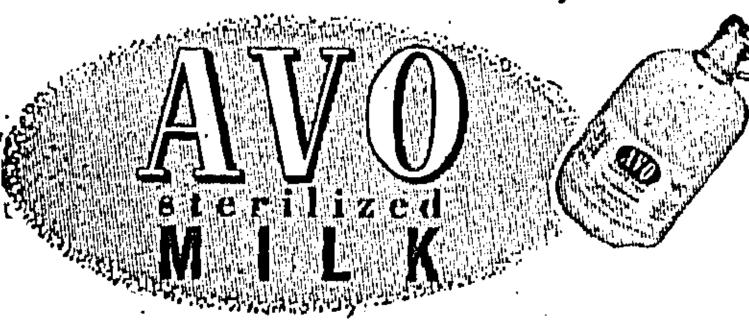
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Washington military chiefs have moved closer to the European

strategic conception as opposed

remains unclear. Greater clarity

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in peacetime training.

prevailed in America.

Guerillas Protest To UN

· Beigráde, January 22. General Marko's "Free Democratic Greek Govern-.ment". today sent a protest to the Security Council and to Mr. Trygve Lie, Secretary General of the United Nation's, concerning a military plane shot down over the Greek town of Karpenissi, the Yugoslav news, agency

reported tonight. The plane, the agency said, was piloted by an American officer, named Edner, and was shot down "at the moment when it was machinegunning the peaceful population of the town."-Rauter.

to that of defending Europe from behind the Pyrenees, which has

Batavia, January 23. Trouble for the Dutch was reported in both Western and will be obtained, it is hoped, Eastern Java on Saturday. when and if the proposed Atlan-The Dutch army was ordered to tic Pact is signed and when Constep in and enforce order in the federal state of Pasoedan in West gress is asked to decide on an Java where Dutch commander arms programme for the Western

said recent actions have endanger- European armed forces. ed security.

than they have progressed in that in London next Thursday.

warfare on the island.—Associat-

RECOGNITION

TRANSJORDAN?

Washington, January 22.

The United States is likely to

recognise Transjordan next week

at the same time as full Ameri

State of Israel, United States

Government officials said today.

They denied reports of

can recognition is given to

ed Press.

added.—Reuter.

50 miles East of Malang, and u Dutch planter was killed and three planters kidnapped in scattered cussed about an Atlantic Pact incidents of continuing guerilla

According to informed sources

Franco-Italian **Economic Union**

Paris, January 22. Further progress towards a proposed economic union of France and Italy was made here tonight when representatives of the two countries signed the final report of the Joint Commission on cus-

Anglo-American deal whereby recognise Transjordan in return union and not less than six years frontiers had been agreed. for British recognition of Israel. for a complete economic union. Such an arrangement was not! The tariff union would abolish! even discussed by the British customs duties on articles transand the Under-Secretary of State, other and fix a common tariff for Mr. Robert Lovett, during the goods arriving from other coun- Middle Eastern policy. recent talks on Palestine, they tries.

Foreign Ministry.—Reuter.

FOUR -KILLED-IN B-29 CRASH

Great Falls, Montana, January 22. Four of the crow of 12 were counter. killed on Friday night when a B-29 Super Fortress crashed into the snow blanketed Great Falls airfield a few minutes after tak-

Rescue Try By Ski-Plane

· Winnipeg, January 22. A Royal Canadian Air Force plane, equipped with skis, landed today near a Dakota plane of the RCAF which was forced down on the ice of Hudson Bay yesterday, and attempted to rescue the crew of eight and three passengers. ...

The Dakota was forced down by lack of fuel while returning from a 4,000-mile mercy flight North of the Arctic Circle, A search plane tocated it yesterday on an icofield 65 miles South

West of Churchill, Manitoba. The search plane pilot saw a 2,000-foot ice strip near the Dakota which he thought a suitable landing site for a ski-equipped light aircraft or a helicopter.--

peacetime training. Israel Policy Due

London, January 22. But the American standpoint Britain's decision to accord de facto recognition to Israel, now generally expected to be made public next Monday, is the result of two converging developments, it is felt in London.

British opinion which believes the Consultative Council of the June 1498 was precipitated The question of the Atlantic some degree of recognition will Western Union. E. Engels, reported peace and Union is on the agenda of the contribute more to a settlement security have deteriorated more five Foreign Ministers meeting in Palestine than continued re-

The idea of allowing the West

to be occupied tactically with

a view to liberating it later

makes no appeal to Western

tery," one European official com-

"One does not liberate a ceme-

Europeans, it was said here.

mented.-Reuter.

Paris, January 22.

The Rhine, from the Swiss border to its estuary in

authoritative sources today.

Holland and the North Sea, will be the com-

mon defence frontier of the Western European

powers, if the agreed plans find backing in

the proposed Atlantic Pact and American-

Army help is obtained, Reuters learned from

It is common ground between might be, it is learned, whether

the five European powers that American troops would be re-

the defence of their territories quired to ensure an effective de-

must be organised in Europe sence of the Rhine frontier.

Secondly, the overriding im-Trouble also was reported from in Paris, the principal question portance of keeping the British between the Western European production.—Associated Press.

In Paris, the principal question portance of keeping the British between the Western European production.—Associated Press.

They include 18 men, 11 women employees of the Socrabaja naval and weapons. Soldiers would no Middle East as nearly as posbase were ambushed and killed, a the populations of cosh sible in harmony. Also, the recognition of Israel, designed to achievement in the field encourage both the interested joint defence. Arnb States and Israel towards an agreed settlement at the Rhodes talks which would pave with a review of the prospects the way to peace and a stabilisa- of the Atlantic Union, where the tion of the postion in the Middle five Western Union powers have

Radical Change

Diplomatic observers here do not attempt to disguise that of israel represents a radical change in the British polloy.

Ambassador, Sir Oliver Franks, ferred from one country to the sion to realism with the achieve- liance, independent of East and ment of a joint Anglo-American West,

unlikely to be much criticism.

If, however, the Jews and of British opinion which will feel that Britain has been stampeded into giving away her most important remaining bargaining powers to the developments in

Full Programme

ag off.

full programme of fixtures which a settlement with the Chinese The plane was flying to its form part of the general pattern Government, purged of the imhome base at Spokane, Washing- of the gradual association of the mediate supporters of Generaliston from the Smoky Hill base of Western powers. On Thursday simo Chiang's policy of uncondi-Kansas. — Associated and Friday, the Foreign Ministers tional opposition to Communism. of the five Brussels Treaty -Reuter.

They will receive the report of intolerable."

The Consultative Council will sugar factory manager was slain to the populations of each American recognition of Trans- also receive the report of their Mahai Sawan said he had heard District Immigration Officer Waljordan, expected to follow closely Military Committee, which will some Foreign Governments were ter Miller sald he does not know An important issue to be dis- on the Israeli elections, is seen as provide a balance sheet of the preparing to ask Slam to sell rice what will be done with them, but a complementary step to Britain's five powers' planning and more cheaply. But Siam doesn't they would be held in quarantine

> This provides a direct link been acting throughout as a coordinated team in the negotiations with the United States and Canada in Washington.

In Copenhagen, another aspect even the de facto recognition of the Atlantic Union has reached the stage of decision. The three Scandinavian powers will German politicians have quietly planned a highlyed the stage of decision. decide either there or at the Ideally, no doubt, Mr., Ernest end of the week in Oslo The report estimated it would Bevin would have wished to post- whether Norway and Denmark the American Government would take a year to establish a tariff pone recognition until acceptable will agree to become members of an Atlantic defence association or whether they will prefer As it is, a decision will be Sweden's proposal to join generally regarded as a conces- limited Scandinavian defence al-

> The French Foreign Minister, If the negotiations at Rhodes M. Robert Schuman, presided at produce a substantial measure of the signing ceremony in the historic Clock Room of the French to conditions for the conditions for the way should be clear for an early issue of invitations to an was in charge of Hessian de-tor said, "but the police training a feeth inspection. Telfelbaum continued.
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> > It is felt in London that it is Arabs are still unable to agree, too early properly to assess the West German plans were trawn marching around in squad coexit of Generalissimo Chiang and polished at a recent confer- lumns," he said.

China must now depend primarily on whether the Chinese Communists decide to pursue their military victories to their The coming week will see a logical conclusion or to negotiate

Clay Blames Russia For German Rift

Berlin, January 22. General Lucius D. Clay, U.S. Military Governor, flatly blamed the Russians for the division of Gormany and its dual curerncy system in a special report distributed in Berlin today.

(The Russians have consistently tried to lay the blame for this on the West and have claimed that the Western Allies separate currency reform was the reason for the Soviet land block-

lade of Berlin). General Clay's report, reviewing economic revival in Western Germany since last June's 'currency reform, stated that the separate action was forced upon the West when "it became increasing apparent that the USSR had no intention of permitting the Administration of the Four Zones of Germany as an economic entity, as agreed at the Potsdam Conference."

Clay said that the Russians alone-were-to-bioms-cor-fallum to reach a four power agreement for a new uniform German currency.

"The Western Powers", the report said, "weré frustrated in their efforts to create a sound currency in their occupation zones because of the refusal of the Soviets to agree on a uniform German currency reform or to disclose the amounts of Reichsmark currency printed by them. The final economic Finns arrived here last night in Firstly, the heavy pressure of powers will gather in London as break between East and West this financial monetary situation which had become increasingly

> the European Unity Committee, Once currency reform was which is still examining in Paris enacted, Clay added, it brought the British and Franco-Belgian about an almost miraculous rise

Minister of Commerce Mr. Phya appendicitis. plan to reduce the present price until a decision is reached. All of between 30 and 40 pounds were in good health despite the

sald.—Associated Press.

Television For Canada

Ottawa, January 23. Canada expects to have its first television in 1950. To be sure Canada gets the best and latest for Tits: tolovision programme, estimated to cost the country £37,500,000 during the first three years, Canadian experts are now studying technical advances in both Britain and

Development, will probably be co-operative, private enternites balding its local ... government subsidies --- Associated Press.

Five-Month Trip

Miami, Florida, January 22, Twenty-two Estonians and 15 a 95-Coot -- schooner, ending - s Journey they started August 9 at Helsingfors, Finland.

The Finns supplied the boat and picked up the Estonians, who supplied money for the trip. The group journeyed vin Den-

mark, England, Madeira, the and eight children, one of whom Bangkok, January 23. I was hospitalised at Miami with

sterling per ton, Mr. Phya Mahai arduous journey accross the Atlantic in mid-winter.—United Press.

Germans Building Cadre For New Army

Wiesbaden, January 22.

trainel police reserve which in effect could be a camouflaged national guard and cadre for a new German Army, a high Military Government official told the United Press today.

Hubert I. Teitelbaum, of Pit-! After their five years tour of. tsburgh. Public Safety chief duly they would be eligible to for the German state of Hesse, become officers in the police

was in charge of Hessian de- tor said, "but the police training

present post. He said he believed that the "In two years they would be

ence of Western Germany's Min- German proposals to place all isters of Interior at Bonn. In addition, the Military Gov- terior were regarded by top ernment official disclosed in an Military Government men as a exclusive interview that Ger- direct slap at their postwar man government officials have policy, which has permitted only requested permission for their independent city departments. police to salute one another, Even under Hitler, they pointed which has been forbidden as cut, some degree of independent militaristic after the War. Per- municipal control was maintainmission to arm the police with ed. automatic weapons was also for- Teltelbaum said that on his in-

The Hessian plans which officials throughout the state had Tietelbaum discovered called for been well briefed on the plan for a force of some 2,000 youths a revigorated force. ranging from 18 to 19 in ago to They all presented the same

After the completion of the plans during a recent inspection of the state Interior Minister, candinavian conferences and tour

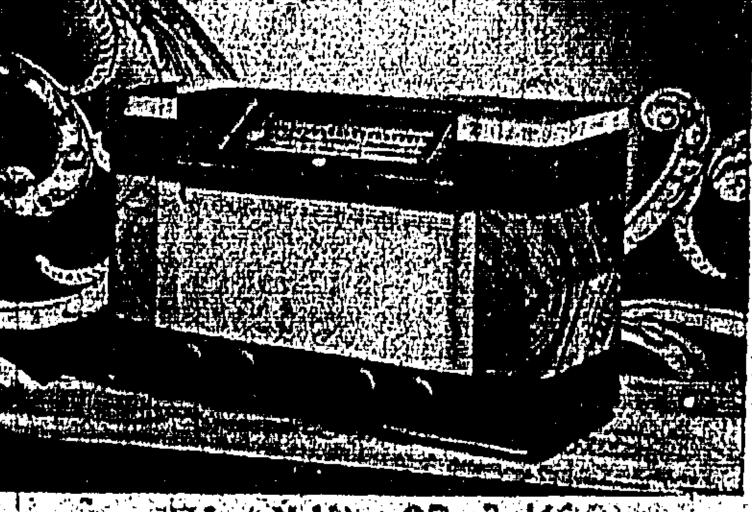
Nazification before taking his in the United States lasts about three months."

police under the Minister of In-

spection he learned that German

be trained in barracks for two reasons for having it," he said,-United Press.

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Peace Mission Will Not Demand Cease-Fire Order

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Oo U.S. Plan

San Francisco, January 22.

The Chinese Communist

Radio heard here tonight de-

clared that General Chiang

Kal-shok's withdrawal in

favour of General Li Tsung-

jen, now acting Prosident,

was "at the prompting of the

Communist reaction to Gen-

'eral Chiang's departure from

The broadcast was the first

"Liberated area newspa-

pers noted the prediction of

foreign ,news agencies _ at

Nanking that General Chiang

Kal-shok's fallure to an-

nounce his formal resigna-

tion is designed to leave the

way open for his return

the Kuomintang's reaction-

ary Nanking Government

has no sincere desire for a

genuine democratic peace."

—Reuter.

spokesman.

the broadcast addtd.

Indications are that

American Government."

Nanking for the South.

Shao Li-txe, chief delegate of the five-man mission the government is sending into Communist territory in quest of peace, today told the United Press in an exclusive interview that the government has abandoned its insistence on'a mutual coase five order before beginning peace discussions.

Yunh has reversed) its previous stand in that respect and is now willing to accept the Communist ence be initiated before ordering

an end of military action. Shao Li-tze and four other delegates were ready at any moment to leave Nanking and take off for any place that the Reds designate for the initial meeting. Shuo Li-tze granted the interview in a room just off the building in which he conducts a private primary school to carn

The room was simply lighted by a single candle and one kerosene lantern. "The Grand Old Man of Peace" and former Ambassador to Moscow, who has been one of the most ardent advocates for peace, admitted that the hopes of world peace would rest on the success of his mis-

Shao said: "When I received this commission. I felt a little afraid. The rift between the Communists and the Kuomintang has been very great, and up to now in this terrible war, terms advanced by both sides have shown a very wide divergence. We realise that our mission will be very difficult.

"But I feel at the same time Huang Shao-shung, Peng Chaothat peace is the real need and shein and Chung Tien-hsin. urgent need of all our people. The announcement of It is vital for the preservation peace delegation was the first of national existence and the major acknowledged developclimination of suffering by our ment in the peace offensive propeople. Both the Kuomintang gress since Chiang Kal-shek yesand the Communists have realis- terday retired and left Nanking. cd the importance of peace. I Reports during the day that the believe that both sides are delegation has been selected sincere in their desires for peace. were once denied, then unoffi-In view of this I am confident cially confirmed and finally anthat our mission will be one of nounced by a government

Shao said: "We will do our Earlier reports linked former utmost to make it a success. We Premier Chang Chun, one of the hope that the Communists will Inner Cabinet members and reply immediately to our offer Minister without Portfolio, as of initiating talks now and pro- one of the delegates, and it was pose a place where discussions known that he was one of Sun can be held to permit as early Fo's choices. However, it was believed that the Executive Yuan n start as possible.

"Peace in China is necessary had decided that it might be for everyone. the peace throughout the better for him to remain in Narimunists accept the government policy makers. proposals and designate peace. The five-man delegation recced there immediately."

as outlined in Chiang Kai-shek's Independent Left of the Centre member of the Kuomintang.) New Year message still_stand as Liberal Group; Chang Chi-chung, The agreement is a masterpiece tion back a century in progress, the government policy, Shao re- the Whampao Clique dominating in fact-saving at which the he was quoted as saying.—Reu-

be impossible." without Portfolio, Press. Minister

Peiping Surrender Raises Peace Hopes

Shanghai, January 23. The surrender at Paiping and the selection at Nanking of a five-man peace delegation which looks possibly acceptable to the Reds lifted the hopes for peace.

dent Li Tsung-jen as an action prompted by America.

Shanghai newspapers, which re-China, hardly mentioned him on their front pages as all interest swung into the efforts of General Li and his "left-over" Chiang government for peace.

The Red blast against the Chiang retirement in favour of Li was not taken too seriously. Anti-foreignism has always been a strong cohesive force in Chinese revolutionary movements. Some say Chiang's loss of public following in the past few years lay in the fact that he could not put a strong nationalist and strong anti-foreign cast in his campaign' against the Communists. The anti-foreign bark is usually worse than its bite, but it is undeniably a strong rallying

From surrendered Peiping last midnight. Associated Press correspondent Spencer Moosa sent 100 years if the standard of a dispatch saying that agreement living in Asiatic countries for peace there doubtless set a could be raised 2 per cent. pattern for localised peace elsewhere in China.

joint in name only because there where the President was a guest is no doubt which side will do of the Missouri "congressional the administering.

The agreement is for a tran-

is to say, until the other side de- foundations of the programme crees into what form the ad- the President outlined in yesterministration shall-emerge. The spoils are going to the victor, but he has a sugar-conted

On the surface, this transitional ported to have said. agreement presents features almost too good to be true. changes, but yet postal and from the United States.

the outside would are to be as saying he realises the respon-| maintained. 🤭 safety of life and property, and Congress has "an equal respon-

freedom of religion is permitted sibility. world. As soon as the Com- king since he is one of the top are false, even the air link with peace. the outside world will be allowed. (His friends say Hsu Hui- President said, and he does not talks, our delegation will pro- presents all major cliques in the tung, chairman of the City believe there is any necessity for present government. Shao Li- Council, will fly South today, another one if everybody works

Asked if the government terms tze, chief delegate, represents the Hsu is supposed to be a dichard for peace.

Future agreements, of which broadcast describing Generalis- the one announced Saturday simo Chiang Kai-shek's retire- night is the first, will doubtless ment in favour of Vice Presi- give a better idea of what is in store, correspondent Moosa sald. Moosa also said a new liaison

The departure of Generalissimo Chiang is fading rapidly from the public consciousness already, despite his 22 years at the helm.

Peiping is expected to include to rank Nationalists and Reds, notably Fu Tso-yi and General Yeh Chien Ying. Nationalist officials in Peiping strongly hint the agreement had

office for the administration of

Nanking approval, and this is quite probable. In fact, Pelping might be the guinea pig for Nanking, Shang-hai and other cities.—Associated

Washington, January 22. President Truman was reported to have told a group of Congressmen today that United States production could not catch up with demand for

The report came from Congressmen present at a breakfast Joint administration emerges— in the legislative buildings, delegation.

A broad programme of econositional period-transitional, that mic aid overseas is one of the day's 'inaugural address.

Long-time prosperity in this country would be the result of pill for the vanquished, Moosa such a rise in Asiatic living standards, Mr. Truman was re-

Presumably he meant that the Eastern' countries would be buy-Political control of Pelping ing more goods and materials

telecommunication services with Mr. Truman also was quoted sibility he has on national and Foreigners are guaranteed international affairs—and that

Those present, he said, asked Unless the present indications for teamwork in striving for No one wants another war, the

Bataan

Manila, January 22. Tales of treasure buried on the former battleground Bataan have touched off a minor gold rush in the Peninsula West of Manila.

Colonel James H. Keefe, Chief of the Customs Secret Service, told the press after returning from Bataan that the people of the province are trooping to the vicinity of Mariveles. Last week a man was reported to have unearthed a cache of platinum, jewellery, gold coins and paper money worth US\$25,000.

Treasure hunters talk excitedly of other valuables rumoured to have been buried by troops and wives of United States Army officers when the Japanese besieged Bataan seven years ago.—Associated Press.

FLU EPIDEMIC IN FRANCE

Geneva, January 23.
The World Health Organisation announced here tonight that about 20 per cent of the French popula-tion (about 41 million) is now suffering from the continental influenza epidemic.

Although generally of a mild M. Lubomir Radovanvich, Vice- type, the disease has caused a with," the paper cautioned, how- President of the Belgrade Federa- number of deaths, particularly ever, and all will depend on the tion of Lawyers, has, been ap- among very young children and immediate ambitions of the Com- pointed Yugoslav Ambassador in old people, the organisation reported -- Reuter.

plied: "If the government and the Chinese Army; Pang Chao- | Chinese, with long centuries of ter. the Communists both Insist on shein, Rightist CC Clique; Huang practice, have no masters. their original terms, peace will Shao-hung, Kwangsi Clique There is no mention anywhere headed by Li Tsung-jen and of surrender, only a subtle im-Other members of the peace General Pai Chung-hsi, and plication in a clause providing mission are: Chang Chih-chung, Chung Tien-hsin representative for troops to be moved out of the member of the inner Cabinet as of Sun Fo's Clique.—United the city for, reorganisation—a good word. London Newspapers London, January 22.

London newspapers differed today on how uncompromising the Chinese Communists may be in their dealings with the Nationalists and the

The Liberal News Chronicle | The Conservative Daily Teleeditorialised that, posterity would graph had this to say. not condemn President Chiang "The task" of economic Kai-shek who retired on Friday administrative. for his refusal to compromise presents stupendous

West.

Europe," the paper said. lations ... The influential Independent Powers." Times, on the other hand, saw

Tsung Jen. The Times said if the Communists "still desire a coalition. he is a man with whom they might be willing to treat."

"He has very little to bargain munists."

which may temper the ideological "He knew better than some of zeal of the Communists and con-Central strain them to foster good relations with

But, it added, their victory some hope for a Chinese coall- "cannot but have dangerous retion government in the fact that percussions in Malaya and In-Chiang's successor is General Li donesia and perhaps in India."-Associated Press.

> Belgrade, January 21. Ankara.—Reuter.

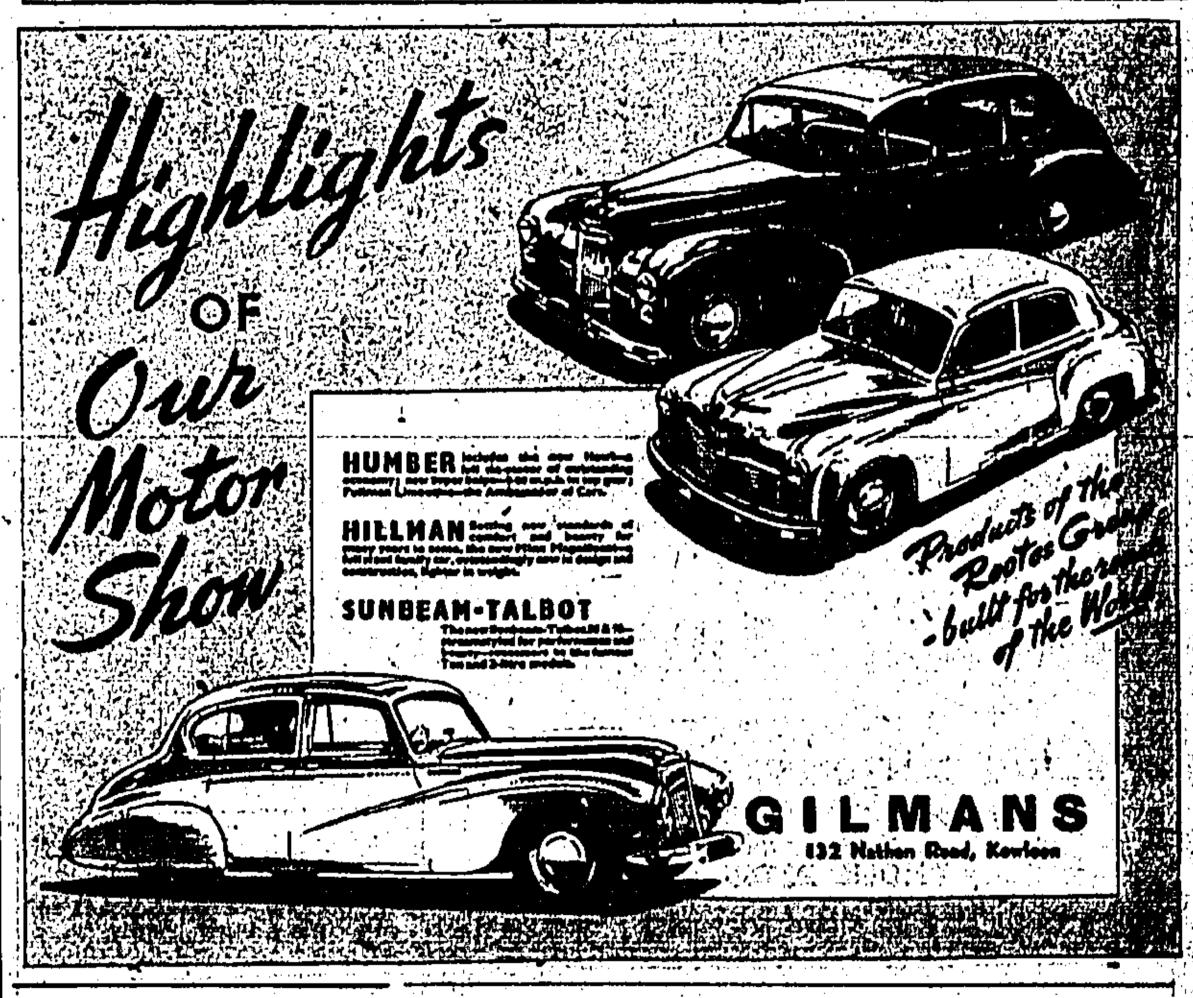


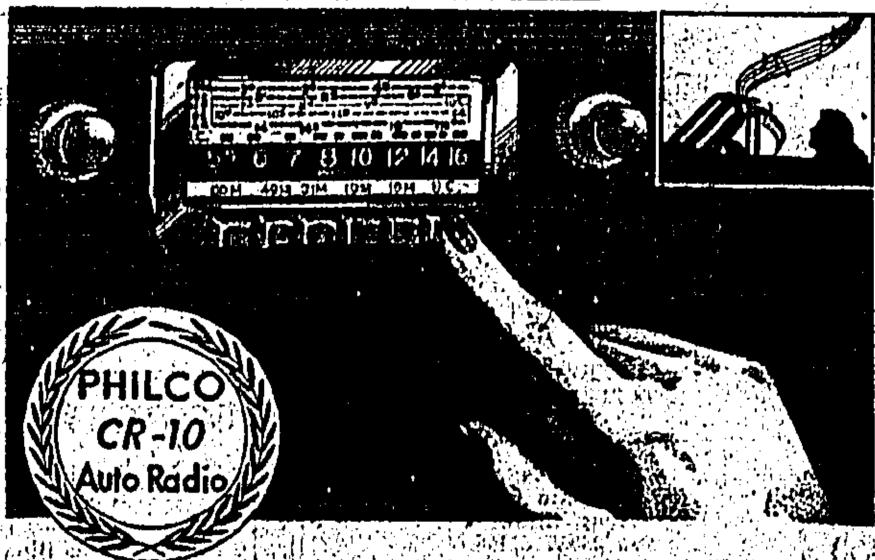
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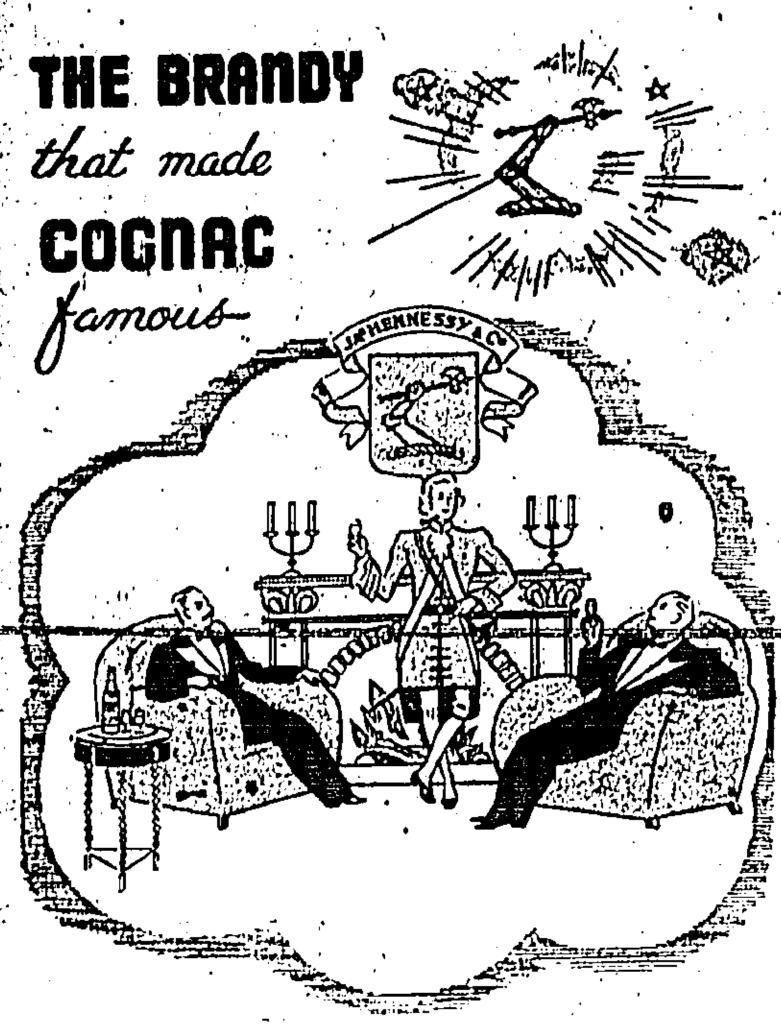
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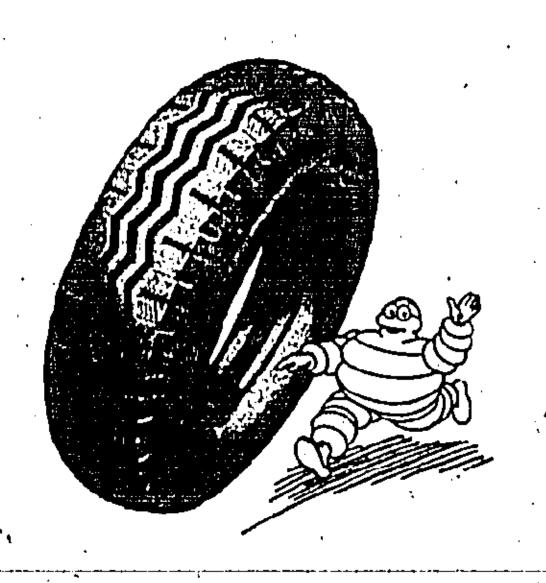
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NEHRU PROPOSED AS EAST-WEST MEDIATOR

Sweden Opposes Alliance

Stockholm, January 22. mentary sources here tonight, known diplomatic correspon-Sweden urged that the propos- dent, author and lecture, was ed Scandinavian military alli- a special correspondent in Russhould' to concluded sin for some time): without any link with any The letter stated: "President other regional defence pact Truman has declared that

and Danish Premiers, Foreign Stalin. Generalissimo Stalin, and Defence Ministers met to- his 70th year, will not, apparentday at Copenhagen.

fused to agree to this unless they got firm guarantees that they newspaper-reading millions. could count on obtaining "Anglo-Saxon weapons," it was stated, of serious discussion lies in a The Danes, who have tended to share Norway's views in the past, attempted to reconcile the two opposing attitudes.

Before today's meeting Copenhagen, the Swedish Foreign Minister, M. Cesten Unden, asked the American Ambassador here, Mr. Freeman' Matthews; who American supplies Sweden could count on if she remained on the side of any Western European

Mr. Matthews told him that Sweden would receive no millfary supplies and only such nonmilitary supplies as were in plentiful supply.

The Swedish Cabinet was reported to believe, however, that the United States would classify machine tools suitable for the manufacture of both civilian goods and armaments as nonmilitary supplies.—Reuter.

To Raise Question

London, January 22. Sir Peter MacDonald, a Con- dominated federation. servative Member of Parliament, claims that terrorist danger has recently increased in Malaya and of the events which led up to the said today he will raise the mat- split, and that sentiment on the ter in Parliament next Wednes- founding of a non-Communist

asking what further steps are to towards such an organisation be taken to reply with "effective would be made here. action" against the marauders. "When is it proposed to put into | Secretary of the Congress of

Washington, January 22. The suggestion that Pandit Nehru, Prime Minister of India, should be called in as arbitrator of the differences between Russia and the Westorn Nations is made in a letter published today in the Washington Post,

George Bilainkin, of London, who is not otherwise identified. According to Swedish Parlia- (Mr. Bilainkin, who is a well

ly, visit President Truman.

"Conventional polemics weary The Norwegian Ministers re- delegates to the 'United' Nations, or 'the' 'Security' Council and "The sole remaining prospect successful effort at arbitration by a neutral of sufficient status and intellectual lustre.

"Is not this the opportune moment for the chiefs of major and minor states to intervene with the head of newest and largest populated member of the United Nations-in the continent that may prove the most important for the survival of civilisation? "Pandit Nehru, of India, leads over 309,000,000 souls. He has

Trade Unionists Discuss ERP

Berne, Switzerland, January 22.

Trade Union representatives of countries participating in the European Recovery Programme went into closed session at Berne today to discuss problems growing out of ERP. Not on the agenda, but upper-

most in every delegate's mind, was the dramatic East-West split in the World Federation of Trade Unions (WFTU) at Parls on Wednesday when the British, American and Dutch delegations broke away from the Communist-It was expected that the dele-

gates would be informed fully International Labour Organisa-Sir Peter has tabled a question tion would be sounded out. to be submitted to the Colonial However, it was not regarded as Secretary. Arthur Creech Jones. likely that any concrete steps Arthur Deakin, British La-

question also inquires: bour leader, and Jumes B. Carey, effect the recommendations of Industrial Organisations (CIO), the planning community with regard to the squatter problem."—Paris, were both present.—Associated Press.

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Helicopters For Britain

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London, January 22. A helicopter bus service between the cities of Britain, beginning, in four years' time, was predicated today by Mr. N. E. Rowe, the British European Airways' Controller of Research, in a par per read to the Hellcopter Association.

It was disclosed that the new London P & O building is planned to include facilities for helicopter rooften operations. The paper said that big towns should be directly linked by a shuttle service of a frequency of 10 to 14 trips each way for places 100 miles apart.

. Smaller towns were to be ping service. -- Reuter.

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Beigrade, January 22. Marshal Josef Tito in his speech at the Serbian Communist Party Congress last night was seen by Western observers here as having once again pledged himself to continue resisting Russia and the Cominform in the cause of "true Marxism."

This impression was gained (2) Economic relations. Prethe Yugoslav Communist Party dustrialisation under the appearing firmly behind Mar- year plan, which Russia shal Tito.

not spoken in terms that could

make him other than a welcome

guest in Generalissimo Stalin's

and President Truman's capitals.

has sufficient personal prospect

of achieving the end of bicker-

ing between the chiefs of hun-

dreds of millions of common

people, who wish peace for a

few years, to stand by their lattics, walk by flicir plows, go

to Church, or sing the Interna-

tionale."-Reuter.

"I submit that Pandit Nehru

The Marshal's immediate policy seems to be to carry on with his present socialisation programme, regardless of the Cominform's attempt to dislodge him.

The basic causes of the Cominform dispute were for the first Yugoslavia of wanting to turn time openly mentioned during the country into of colony. the Conggres. Marshal Tito listed five of them.

Russia was in practice unwilling high-handed Russian

parently opposed, preferring see the country remain a cheap source of raw material. (3) Disagreement over the

Federation. '(4) Disagreement over form of economic relations with Albania. The Cominform accuses

time and form of the South Slav

(5) "Indirect treatment" Yugoslavia by Russia and the (1) Political relations between Cominform. The Yugoslays, who the Communist States. This pre- claim to have been the truest ally Yugoslavia, Russia is trying to Church discipline. sumably involved the principle of of Russia in her darkest hour; equality, which it was thought apparently resent the allegedly lowards them.—Reuter.

Trouble Brewing In Russia's Backyard

London, January 22. Soviet Russia fought major troubles in its own backyard today in the midst of what looked like a peace offensive toward the West.

Some Western diplomats linked the two developments. But they were primarily interested in the accumulating evidence that things are not going well inside the Soviet's new Eastern European empire.

These events stood out pro-POLAND: High officials have

been ousted from government; CZECHOSLOVAKIA: An at

coun has been disclosed;

YUGOSLAVIA: Marshal Tito's denunciations of Russia have become louder and, more frequent;

ablishment of "progress councils" the Vatican.

Catholic country is uneasy over the religious purge and the arrest of Cardinal Mindszenty.

In contrast, however, everything that happened in Asia for months Church and Government were played into Soviet hands—the broken off on January 12. The Chinese Communists, Chiang Kai- talks began on January 4, eight shek, Dutch military intervention days after the arrest of Cardinal in Indonesia and the general nn- Mindszenty, but only one meeting rest in South-East Asia.

In the Middle East it still seems without explanation. to be touch and go between Eastern and Western influence. If Bri- lies to be loyal to their Church from the Marshal's speech and vious speeches by Marshal Tito taln and America had worked out and to the Pope, but at the same others at the Congress, which were thought to indicate that the a joint policy earlier, the tremon- time to be "true sons of your ended here yesterday, with issue was Yugoslavia's in- dous increase in Soviet influence five- there might have dissipated temap- porarily,

> Western diplomats saw these two major tactical problems for Russia in its cold war with the West;

> 1. Russia, through intense propaganda, has been trying to discourage Scandinavia, especially Sweden, from joining the North Atlantic scourity pact. Russia would like to prevent that pact from being born.

in the Iron Curtain, such as in Church and faithfully respect tighten its control on Eastern Europe where economic unrest had hope in God would constitute a attitude been predicted for some time-

Catholics Appeal To Vatican

Budapest, January 22.

read in all Catholic Churches in Hungary tomorrow states that the Catholic Hierachy is unable to take any decision on Church-State relations at the present RUMANIA: Through the est- stage without agreement with

more controls have been created; The text, printed in the week-HUNGARY: This predominantly end edition of the Catholic newspaper, Masyar Kurir, is stated to have been decided at the last meeting of the Bishops on January 10.

Negotiations botween took place. The second one, due on January 8, was cancelled

The letter calls on all Cathonation and willing supporters of the common good."

About Church-State relations, the letter says: "The well known situation existing between the Church and State does not allow us to take steps by ourselves, but demands that in accordance with the laws of the Church we should act in harmony with the Holy

Therefore, the letter adds, the Bishops have asked that all Catholics should refrain from disturbing actions, and should 2. Amidst signs of gaping holes comply with the laws of the

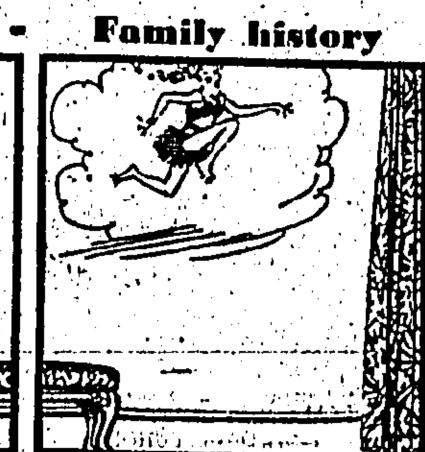
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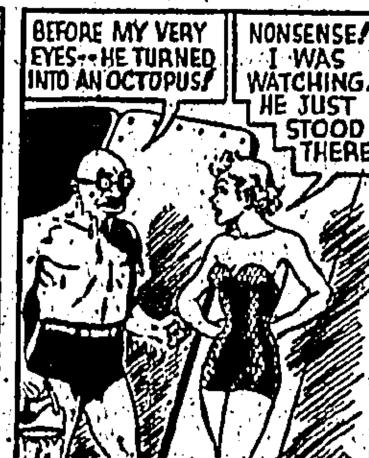






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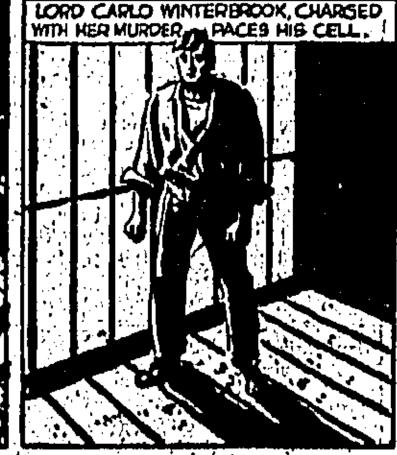






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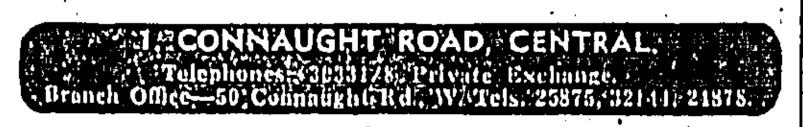
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Window On World" Criticises UN

(By JOHN ASHWIN

With the United Nations General Assembly closing down until April, "Window on the World," parting the curtains on Switzerland, finds Swiss comment on the Assembly's work to date daringly outspoken.

he Fordinary Swiss Man-in-the-Street reports Fred Birmann from Zurich, has christened the Assembly "The World's Deboting Club." Favourite slogan during the past Session has been "They talk too much and do too little."

taining "the "lift" everyone takes Soviet satellite States.

lin-with neither East nor West refugee from Russia. . . Late. military governments being allowed to interfere."

Summing up the Palestine problem they say they are surprised the United Nations wasted ing peace by economic sanctions the Black Sea. and an international police force." After which the Swiss Manin-the-Street returns to his European cockpit of strict neutrality. From the International scene to North Africa and details of a new. Union so young that it hasn't yet had time to organise

n strike. Shoe Shiners Union From Tangler to Tunis they activities. call it the Shoe Shiners Union --

had a gruefling fight against po- no one did. lice and poverty. Now, in all A wedding may mean happithe principal cities shoe shiners ness in most parts of the worldunions are being organised. First but not so in Greece recently. off the mark is the Tunis Union | When daughter became engag--with a paid Union leader ready ed to son a third party intervento settle anything from a pay ed with a plan of campaign that dispute to arrangements for a wrecked the Wedding Feast. new shoe-shine pitch.

ed shoe-shine campaigns to boost Kyria Stamataki prepared

shoe shiners has even formed a it-and presented the thoughtful symphony band to provide en- gift at the Wedding Feast. tertainment, while the shoe shine | Stire enough all worked acbusiness is being done.

boxes. Arab craftsmen are pro- and had to be rushed to hospital. ducing magnificently carved works | There they were operated on of art in brilliant colours. By this means they hope to en- in every stomach. Someone howlice the casual passer-by into the ever must have suspected mother

As an example of what the ward Howe describes how Tur-Swiss mean our correspondent key is becoming Haven No 1 for Party of the Berlin miscleton Al - hundreds - of - political statuson though no-one in Switzerland flooding into the country by land. denies the Allied success in main- sea and air from neighbouring

the first opportunity to argue its | Faced with the problem of what practicability. "Why!" they ask, to do with them Turkay com-"waste money on an gaterprise plains that her country is being that can't last for ever and must jurned into a huge displaced mean at show-down in the end?" persons camp with fresh arrivals As a solution the Swiss suggest |dally. Recently, add the frusa "free and neutral State of Ber- trated officials, there was even

Turkish authorities are not so too much with too little. sure. All they know is that an airman crash-landed in a Soviet ward from the Philippines through two-seater 'plane near the Tur- Okinawa and Japan to Alaska, so much time "instead of enforc- kish industrial town of Sinop on Behind it lie the sirflelds of Guam

Three Reasons

however the airman gave three combat lines. different reasons to three different officials.

Now the authorities believe there may have been a second passenger who parachuted out to take part in fifth column

In case there was, an enquiry with a charter of Shoe Shiners is being held to discover whether anyone in outlying villages saw For many generations explains anything that might have been a Tangler correspondent G. D. K. parachutist on the night in ques-McCormick, the shoe shiner has tion. So far however, apparently

Apparently Kyria Stamatski' of Meanwhile, impressed by their the village, of Piracus had been hew professional status the shoe hoping the bridegroom of the day thiners themselves, their ages | would marry her own daughter. ranging from 8 to 70, have start- | When it turned out otherwise special dish for the wedding, In Tangler a group of Moorish emptied a pocketful of pins into

cording to plan. Within an hour Nor is that all. To replace the bride and bridegroom and half broken-down shoe shine the guests were seized with pain and several dangerous pins found

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vital habit of a shoe shine a day. Stamataki. Today, reports Kelth Across to Istanbul, where Ed- Butler from Athens, she is on

Tokyo, January 22.

A thin curve of air power is being strongthened slowly to protect the vast American interests in the Pacific against the Communist sweep across Asia.

prepare these air centres for taxed to provide necessary milifront-line: duty.

Their potentialities are considerable. They are vital to cur-

But it would be misleading to say, that at present they oner anywhere near adequate preparation in the face of tottering repeatedly emphasised. China and a potentially unfriendly South East Asia.

posis shows some of the same ern Pacific on a series of airfields Indecisiveness and political un- built by Japanese contractors, certainty which contributed to the But the total strength is minute disaster of Corregidor in 1942, for the task of defending this Air Force officers say—as did the country against attack. Philippine ground forces seven Or was he a refugee? The years ago, they are trying to do ments for bases permit a long-

The advance line sweeps upand the naval base at Hawail. Once again the vast stretches of the Pacific have to be breached Ask to explain his business to link them with supply and

trial-protesting that it was all

spate of Italian, films-"Difficult the war, Years," "Open 'City," "Paisa"---]

the Excelsion, has been taken themselves blow hot and cold on over as headquarters of Italian the question of American defilm production. Nor are the fences, but now they would rather. Italians alone in choosing Rome see a sizable air force there. as their Hollywood. .Even Ame- Okinawa—the island nobody rican producers, cameramen and owns and everybody wants -- is stars have plans that will keep both the key and the enigma. In

early-next year." has just arrived with plans to dustrial and military centres.

"Hamlet" and ."The Guinea Pig." | Press.

Airfields in the Philippines | To most American tacticians, and Okinawa-two key points Japan in wartime would be a of the forward American de-would be under relatively close fence line—are being lengthen— range attack from the North. Its ed to accommodate the latest 80,000,000 people would require giant planes. Other improve- heavy food imports along extenments also are under way to sive supply lines that would be

> tary supplies. The occupation job obliges the United States to guarantee Japan's defence for the present. Yet international policy prevents the fences as Soviet spokesman have

The result is that the Fifth Air Force maintains the largest con-A tour of these American out- centration of planes in the West-

> In the Philippines, lease agreerange programme without the international political difficulties encountered elsewhere. Major emphasis is being given to the development of the pre-war air network at Clark Field, about 50

miles North of Manila. The Philippines have shifted back into, increasing strategic importance as the result of unrest in South East Asia and the potentiality it might come under Communist control. In that case. air power from the Philippines From Athens to Rome where would be necessary to deny any Robert Shearer reports that enemy access to airfields and supsomething approaching a minia- ply lines Eastward of the Indian ture Hollywood is taking shape. Ocean with a bomb blockade like It all began with the post-war that used so effectively during

Clark Field is being groomed that have broken box-office re- as a major and self-contained cords wherever they have been base. At present, however, its major strength is limited to the Now Rome's liest-known holel, 18th Fighter Wing. The Filipinos

them working in the City until the centre of the line, it is within heavy bomber range—across In addition a British company the roof of Asia-of Siberian in-

make a picture based on Eric Bought with 7,000. American Linklater's novel "Private Angelo" lives. Okinawa has been claimed Finally, in respect to Italy, the at various times by China, the Man of the Moment pulling the Philippines and Japan. Until its strings behind the film scores is status is settled definitely, the an Italian—Philip Edel Gludice, question of providing sufficient the man responsible for the pro- funds to build it up properly may duction of the British successes remain confused. - Associated

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Exports of therehandise totalled a declared value of \$184,718,203 as compared with \$125,079,584.

Imports during 1948 amounted to a declared value of \$2,077.588.615 as con pared with \$1,540,031,481 in the year 1947

Exports totalled \$1,552,719,710 as compared with \$1,215,833,424.

Total values of imports and exports by chapters in December follow:-IMPORTS EXPORTS ARTICLES Live animals, chiefly for food Meat and preparations thereof 935,401 1,245,877 4,888,687 Dalry products, eggs and honey Fishery products, for food 2.485,971 0,752,125 4,845,276 Manufactured products of cereals, chiefly for human food 1.072,439 2,599,747 Fruits and nuts, except olimpts Vegetables, roots and tubers, chiefly used for human food and their preparations, mask Bugar and sugar confectionery Coffee, ten, cocon and preparations thereof spices ... Beverages and vinegars, which is a general control 900,816 . 71.210 Feeding stuffs for animals, n.e.s. 2,403,403 2,403,281 Oil-seeds, nuts and kernels Animal and vegetable oils, fats, greases and waxes and 9,560,424 14,265,878 their manufactures, n.e.s. Chemical elements and compounds; pharmaceutical pro-17,199,898 6,479,025 Dying, tanning and colouring substances (not including 6,517,653 7,198,199 Pasential oils, perfumery, cosmetics, soaps and related 1,814,508 products 2,058,546 3,505,510 Fertilizers Rubber and manufactures thereof, n.c.s..... 3,024,018 Wood, cork and manufactures thereof 024,026 4,586,742 Pulp, paper and cardboard and manufactures thereof 6,833,941 8,007,500

1,185,608 2,601,082 012,320 03,200 Manufactures of leather, not including articles of clothing 00,353 Furs, not made up Textife materials, raw or simply prepared 6,192,883 15,028,147 8,074,645 22,418,231 Textile fabrica and small wares 12,028,207 770,945 B18.081 Special and technical textile articles Clothing and underwear of textile materials; bats of 0,084,481 3,870,051 all materials 100,620 6.328 1,710,282 5,697,924 4,284,410 6,822,295

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Minister, Dr. Evatt, said on Fti-

day that the Australians at the New Delhi conference on Indo-nesis have no general player to commit Australia to any course of

Dr. Evait bold reporters that

ing are entitled to take part in

the proceedings. Any positive action will be subject to approver

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Damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns for exama.m. on January 25th, 1949.

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today added that the doy ernment is withholding an opinion on the clots as the South African government has appointed a Commission of inhuiry. Associated Press. *******

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CNAC ex-Amoy via Swatow: 12.45 p.m., 5 p.m.; ex-Canton: 8.40 a.m., 10.10 m.m., 11 a.m., 12,80 p.m., 2,50 p.m., 3,35 p.m., 5,10 p.m.; ex-Foochow via Talpehr 4.15 p.m.: ex-Shanghai: 11.45 a.m.: ex-Shanghai via Poochow, Talpeh: 4.15 p.m. CPA ex-Manila: 11.80 a.m.; ex-Singapore via Bangkok: 2.80 p.m. HK AHWAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 a.m., 11,40 a.m., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m. PAA ex-Hangkok: 3,45 p.m.

TOMORROW AIR FRANCE ex-Salgon: 11.30 a.m. CNAC rx-Amoy via Swatow: 12.45 p.m., 5 p.m.; ex-Canton: 8.40 u.m., 10.10 n.m., 11 a.m., 12.50 p.m., 2.50 p.m., 8.85 p.m., 5,10 : p.m.; ex-Shanghai: 11.45 a.m.: ex-Shanghai via Almoy. Swatow, Canton: 3.25 p.m. CATC ex-Talpeh via Swatow, Amoy: 0.20 p.m.; ex-Kunming vla Liuchow, Can-

ton: 6.80 p.m. CPA ex-Manila: 11.80 m.m. HE ARRIVAYS ex-Canton: 9.40 a.m. 11.40 mm., 2.40 p.m., 4.40 p.m. PAA ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Midway, Wake, Guam, Manilat 2 p.m. PAL ex-San Francisco via Honolulu, Guam, Wake, Manila: 2 p.m. BOAC ex-Southampton, Bangkok: 8 p.m.: ex-Blugapore: 4 p.m.

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TODAY AIR FRANCE for Hanol: 7 a.m. CNAC for Amoy via Swatow:" 7 a.m., 11.15 a.m.; for Canton: 3.05 a.m., 8,55 a.m., 10.25 a.m., 12.45 p.m., 1.50 p.m., 3.05 p.m., 8.50 p.m.: Foothow BOHEME (Hunt) 24 via Amoy: 8 a.m.; Shanghair 12.46 CATC for Bhanghai via Canton, Amore B n.m. : Amoy t - 7 - a.m. -----HK AIRWAYS for Canton: 8 km., 10 a.m., 1 p.m., 5 p.m. PAA for San Francisco via Manila. Guam, Wake, Midway, Honolulu: 4.46 BOAC for Bangkok/Southampton: 7.45 a.m.: for Singapore: 8 a.m.

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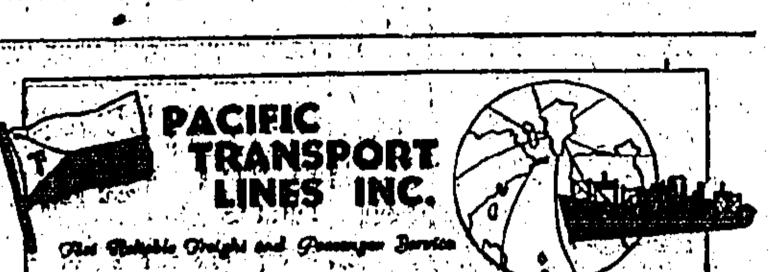
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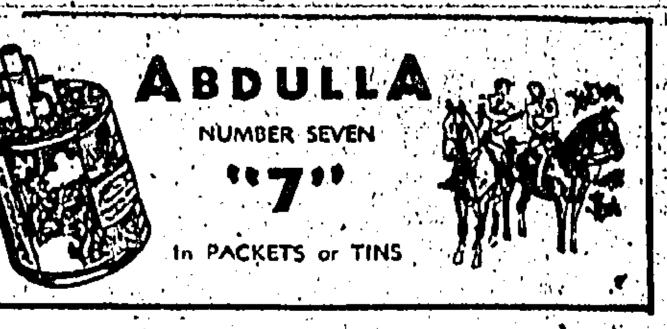
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CHINA LABOR MAIL

HONG KONG, MONDAY, JANUARY 24, 1949.



On a day when away victories were scarce, Ports-

mouth, the First Division leaders, overcame

one of their stiffest obstacles of the season in

winning at Charlton, where only once before

BEAT SAINTS, RAF LOSE TO EASTERN

There were no upsets in yesterday's First Division soccer, the results of all three games played being as expected. ****************

A weakened St. Joseph's XI lost to Club by six goals to two at Happy Valley.

RAF, who entertained Eastern at Sookunpoo and ents, were beaten by seven goals to two.

narrow margin of two goals whot too high.

China in the Second Division and shared two goals with their more doughty opponents.

Club 6—St. Joseph's 2

Weakened by the absence of Leonard, Rocha and Xavier, St. Joseph's had to be content with the services of three junior players who had just played against Talkoo, The Suints were accordingly no match for the Club.

The Saints defence had a gruelling afternoon, as they were on the defensive almost throughout the game. Leck played a brilliant game between the sticks and drew repeated applause for his line performance. He was ably supported by Castilho and Rumjahn who, between them, rendered yeoman service keeping the attackers at

Brown at right half was injured 10 minutes after the kick-off and dld not resume until after the interval. He limped badly and was a passenger for the remainder of

non were outstanding and showed . Cheuk-yin. good combination. They shared the six goals between them. Forrow, played his usual fine spoiling game and kept Hsu King-sing well tagged.

Both teams started shakily and within the first 15 minutes play was even. Neither goalkeeper was called upon to clear any, dungerous shots.

Santos of the Saints opened the scoring. Advancing well up, he goals. sent in a hard drive from well "

which he did with great agility.

net, to bring the Club on equal

Club forwards were all over the Chinese might well have scored Saints defence and Leck was call- | many more goals, ed on repeatedly to keep his goal intact. However, the pressure was | Eastern attack, was outstanding too heavy and he bowed to Klertake the lead. Not long afterwards, Klernan incited his second goal, when he took the ball down on his own to beat Leck with a

The best goal of the afternoon came from T, Castilho at outside left. Taking the ball all the way down the wing, he cut in to beat McKenzle with a difficult angle shot from outside the penalty area to reduce the lead.

plight after the interval. Their three junior players, playing their second game of the afternoon, showed signs of tiring and the repented switching of players from one position; to another did not help malters:

The Saints defence tried its best to ward off the Club attacks but ! found pressure too strong with the consequent result that further time, the Airmen netted twice 12. Waterloo 14 North of Ireland the Hockey Interport against

St. Joseph'et Leck, J. Castilho lacked finish. and Rumjahn Brown, Pereira, Had the Airmen tried long King-sing, Omar and Rew.

S. China "A" 2.... Kit Chee 1

Too Korn-ho, their left winger, Butcher, West, Townsley, O'sent across a perfect centre which Rourke, Soutar, Studd, Crellin ton Town 5 Whitehaven 4. York international between women to Wing-keing headed to Fai Colly.

The wignuman Cup lawn tenns I ton Town 5 Whitehaven 4. York international between women 17 Bradford Northern 8,—Reuter Greet Britain will be played tur-Chun-nwa / South Chinh's new Eastern: Lau Yee-keung, Kong Fight winger from Shanghal, Fai Shing-king, Chan Lam, Tang Tai-gathered the ball and placed it chuen, Lam Tak-po, Lai Keegathered the ball and placed it chien, Lam Tak-po, Lau Fook- into the net well out of the reach kwong Lee Tin-kee, Lau Fook- Don Bradman will receive Club chien, Lee Wal-lam, Yuen Yiu- A 27,838 from the Victorian lam and Loung Wing-kwong. Cricket Association for his testing which played here last

onjoyed at much of the ball as their oppone

In a game which failed to | Immediately on resumption, Kit | S. China "A" 2 Kit Chee come up to, expectations at Chee set the pace and missed a RAF Caroline Hill, South China very good optortunity of taking the lead when Cheung Chung-South China kan, with only the goodle to beat, Taikoo The tempo of the game gradual-

Police put up a very fine ly increased and robust tacties which were introduced led to a warning being given by the referee, Mr. A.F. Willis, who handled the situation admirably, South China took the lead once

more in the 28th minute of the second half through Lau Chungsang, who netted from about 30 yards distance, with the Kit Chee goalle unsighted.

Kit Chee threw all their resources into the game and tried every trick they knew in order to level the scores again, but the South China defence stood up well to the uncensing onslaughts! carried out by the Klt Chee at-

The final whistle came with South China still holding on to their slender 2-1 lead. S. China "A". Yu Yiu-tak, Hau | Yung-sang, Chedng Shul-ling, Lau pionship eliminator match between Chung-sang, Tse Kam-hung, Eddie Thomas and Stan Haw- and they went in with a will and Fung King-cheung, Ho Yin-fun,

Kit Chee: Choung Koon-hing, promoter of the match, had been Fok Ylu-wah, Mok Kam-chung, approved. Lee Ping-chiu. Yau Wah-hing, Lo Wai-kuen, Tang Kwong-sum, Chlu-chung, Chlu Foo, For the Club, Mullen and Kier- Cheung. Chung-kan and

RAF 2-Eastern 7

diente, as the RAF enjoyed as gavenny on January 31. much of the ball as their oppon-

football, the only weak link in the livan contests. Club, shaken by this goal, put team being the goalie, a youngs-

Bartrum, the regular RAF cus-Following a scrimmage in front todian was also an absentee and of the Saints' goal, Mullen secured his place was taken by Boyle, who the ball and, spinning round, sent | gave a very good account of himin-a-pile driver which hit the self and can in no way be blamed crossbar and rebounded into the for the goals which he conceded. The RAF backs and half backs

played a fine spoiling game and Continuing their attacks, the were it not for their tenacity, the Lee Wai-lam, as leader of the

and proved to be a thorn in the played today were: nan's shot which enabled Club to side of the opposing defence. He i was well supported by other members of the forward line. The Eastern defence also show-

ed up well and lent invaluable Mary's Hospital 3. London Welsh in the posing competition while assistance to the forwards by keeping them on the move with Taylor 13, Harlequins 15. Old by Jal Jehangir. well placed passes.

nities presented.

on his own to lob the ball into Keys 3 Ebb Vale 6. Exeter 20 Scully and Mr. Lim Hoy-lan. the net over the head of the ad- Devenport Services 6. Gloucester vancing Boyle.

upon to clear their lines.

Santos, Ismail, T. Castilho, Hau shots at goal, they would in all probability have reaped dividends. as-Lau Yee-keung, the youngster in goal, was never sure of him-

Cher could conting the Kit chee church Lee Wallam, Yuen Yiu- A27,638 from the Victorian Within two minutes, Kit chee lam and Leung Wing-kwong.

Training For Interport XI month match played here last month the church of the church ship the church who sent the church Ch

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

First Division 6 St. Joseph's 2 Eastern Second Division Police 1 St. Joseph's.

way Bay, from 5.15 to 7 p.m. each day between Monday, January 24 and Thursday, January 27, both days inclusive.

Players and reserves selected are requested to turn up for this training and Club Secretaries' cooperation to ensure a full attendance will be appreciated by the

ihomas Io Meet

London, January 22. The British welterweight cham- [identical goal, Cheung Kam-hol, Fai Chun Hwa, thorne will take place at Liverpool.

submitted by Mr. Johnny Best, the

The winner of this fight will meet Ernie Roderick for the right

to challenge Henry Hall, for the British title. Tommy Little will referee the final eliminator for the light-This game was not so one-sided weight title between Cliff Scurvis as the score would appear to in- and Harry Hughes at Aber-

He will also referee the fights at the Royal Albert Hall on Monday The Airmen had their chances, between Lue Van Dam, of Holland, but a disjointed forward line and Albert Finch, of Croydon, and which lacked finish prevented Terry Allen, of Islington, and them from getting more than two Dickie O'Sullivan, of Finsbury. Moss Devones will referee the Eastern fully described their Solly Cantor-Tommy McGovern outside the penalty area, beating win, as they played constructive and Guido Ferracin-Danny O'Sul- Weight Lifting Competition at

and Leck was called upon to save the regular goal-keeper, who including March 19 to arrange the opening ceremony. South Eastern heavyweight champlouship between Charlie Collett and Jul, the only two competitors of 21 heads including a five and and Reg Androws .- Router, ...

Rugby

London, January 22. first prize of the posing competi-Results of rugby football games tion.

Union: Guy's Hospital 9 Metro- Cheng Chen-pong and Jack Wai politan Police O. London Hospital respectively. 3 Notts 12, London Irish 3 St. 3 London Scottish 8. Old Merchant the junior champlonship was won Paulines 6 Maestag 19. Richmond A trophy was awarded to Mrs. The Airmen took up the run- 3 Newport 33. Rosslyn Park 9 Jehangir for all-round improvening from the start, but failed to Bedford 10. Wasps 25 United Ser- ment and perseverence in training mer. winning by five shots. make the best use of the opportu- vices, Portsmouth 3. Aldershot since 1942. Services 12 Stroud 8, Bath 8 Moso-A breakaway by the Chinese ley 8. Birkenhead Park 9 Old Mill Jchangir. saw Lee Wai-lam pass neatly to Hillians 3. Cardiff 22 Leicester 6. Among those present were Mr. Lee Tin-kee, who went through Coventry 8 Swansea 14. Cross and Mrs. H. Jehangir, Mrs. G. S. E. Shaw 11 Bristol 3. Llanelly 6 Royal Air The ball was rapidly trans- Force 8, Manchester 11 Bradford Hong Kong's defences being repobledly all 14. Neath 0 Cheltenham 8. Oxford defences being repeatedly called University 16 Army 6. Penarth 3. The Chinese went further ahead lyn 5 Plymouth Albion 13. Redthrough Lee Wal-lam (1) and ruth 12 Torquay 9. Royal Navy 9 Lee Tin-kee (1), but before half Blackheath C. Sale 8 Northampton goals were odded by Mullen (2) through O'Rourke and Studd, who 11. Weston-super-Mare 6 Ponty- Macao during the Chinese New T. Wren Strange; Ritchle, Forrow and rears, the RAF tried hard to gain the equaliser, but efforts of their wartenisms Former Danies 14. Steforwards were disjointed and wartonians Former Pupils 16 Mel rose 3. Abertillery 3 Pontypridd 0. Lt. Cdr. Haig (RN), W. A. Reed A. Hutton Newbridge 16 Bridgend 6. Sara. (Recreio), Capt. Monaghan T.H. Burbeck Newbridgo 16 Bridgend 6. Saracens 0 Bank of England 5. St Thomas Hospital 20 Old Leyslans B. T. Gosano (Khalsa), E. Fowler J. Fraser 0. (CS), Lt. Cdr. Aitken (RN) and (skip)

L/Tel. Mathewson (RN). This game, which failed to come the content of the Longue: Batley 15 Wakefield Reserves: J. Gonsalves (Re-17 Bradford Northern 8.—Reuter, players of the United States and Great Britain will be played dur-

Don Bradman will receive Club.—Reuter.
A£7.836 from the Victorian
Cricket Association for his testi

Royal Navy Suffer Twin Loss At Macao

Royal Navy were defeated at both soccer and hockey when they visited Macao over the week-end at the kind invitation of the Macao Police.

ed by a much better and as though they might make a stronger team and in a great same of it when they opened second half were forced to their account through Gillam. nerend desperately. They were try an interenting of positions

the game 3-1. match, 1-0. From the start, Navy went into

their opponents half. Manning had a good effort blocked and shortly after Higgs sent in a first time shot which was turned round the post for a fruitless corner, Gillam originated a Navy attack and the ball went to Manning. who tested Singh with a rising shot. The same player was again in the picture when he drove hard

at the goalkeeper from an acuta At the other end, Pacheo missed chance when he skied a ball from Santos over the bar.. In another home raid. Tozer saved the eltuation when he headed off the

goal line. Macao were awarded a free kick just outside the area an Airosu, who received the ball and lured Pratt out off his goal, netted a simple goal for the home side. Immediately afterwards Macao went further shead when the same player scored an

These reverses shook the Navy The Boxing Board of Control with hard shots, but half time ar-Chu Wing-keung and Tse Kam- has announced that a purse offer rived without any further score. Defend Well

Mauricio's

Musclemen

Competition

There was a lavish display

the College gymnasium.

the championship hands down.

Mr. Sum Nye-ho was runner-up

Prizes were distributed by Mrs.

Year holldays at Macao:

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of 200 pounds.

At soccer Navy were oppos-|were defending well and it looked

with Higgs, Gillam was sent fly-Macao won the hockey ing away and he drove past Singh from 30 yards to reduce the ar-

> Play continued from end to end, with both sides striving to make the game safe when, with ten minutes to go, Macao, were Manthester U. 26 12 9 5 51 20 offence and Pacheo placed the ball Charlton ... 27 11 10 6 47 41 82 now three points clear of New-for Carvallo to head against the Wolves 26 12 6 8 52 59 50 under side of the bar and the ball svent over the line to make the score 3-1.

their lead.

for some time.

The home side combined well and the Navy were forced to defend hard. They were well served by goal-keeper Williams, who made many fine saves but was benten at last by an effort from In the second period, both team-

on two occasions Higgs came near served up some brilliant hockey, but there was no more scoring. After the games the teams were entertained to dinner and mention was made of the sporting spirit In the second half, Macao seem- displayed by all the teams. Hopes ed to put on an extra spurt and were expressed that these fixtures looked dangerous, but the Navy would take place annually.

KBGC Beat HKVDC In Bowls Game Third Division-Southern

Kowloon BGC beat Hong of brawn and muscle at the Kong Volunteer Defence Corps Mauricio College of Physical in a friendly game of bowls Education yesterday after- at Austin Road yesterday by noon, when it held its 10th 88 shots to 56.

The home team lost on one everything they had into the game ter who sportingly deputised for agers have been given up to and of the college, performed the scoring the biggest win of the day over Morrison's rink by 27 The Jehangir brothers, Fram shots. Fraser scored on 16 out in the senior division, won the four and played a good game. first and second prizes, respec- The best game was that betively. I'ram lifted the top weight tween Hall's four and Len Sykes' rink. Hall took a commanding In the junior division, Chung lead right from the start and Ching had no contestants and took after 10 heads was leading by 12-4. Sykes, however, caught up Mr. Arthur Siu, champion of well and just edged out Hall at the novice division, also took the the end.

Hall was in good form and was given excellent support by The second and third prizes of Shields. Dowbiggin was the best the novice division were won by of the winning rink. Simpson went down to McKelvie Hull

by five shots, the score being 14-19. McKelvie played a big part in his team's victory with some clever bowling. In the other rink between

Atkins and Rakusen the standard of bowls was good, with the for-

HKVDC E. Baker H.A. Lummeri J. Beach LR. Whant H.H. Rose E.A. Atkins M.N. Rakusen (skip) 15 V.C. Labrum W. Russell H.B.L. Dowbiggin W. McMaster H.F. Shields L. Sykes (skip) the Hockey Interport against H.W. Close D. Crozier K.C. Hamilton J.G. Meyer E.F. Pope Lall Singh (Khalsa), A. Neary J. McKelvie W.C. Simpson' (Recreio), Bhagat Singh (Khalsa), (skip) R.C. Butler F.E. Lawrence J. Hempsey (Army), J. A. Soares (Recreio), L. Coombes R. Morrison (sklp): Total . 88

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The Wightman Cup lawn tennis Ledgue:-

ing the week commencing Seps Queen's 3 Talkoo ember 25 at the courts of the Eliis Kadoorie 0 Yaumati Philadelphia Pennsylvania Cricket JUNIOR DIVIBION

A-Chinese (PM) 1. EK (AM)

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Portsmouth Stay Ahead, Villa Emerge From Cellar London, January 22.

more than 66,000, at Villa Park,

Albion.

leaders,

wards.

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the Second Division

Attendances, generally, were

Two of the six away victories

good, more than a million making

up the aggregate attendance for

in the English Lengues went to

that remarkable Northern pair,

|Rotherham and Hull, whose neck-

yond doubt with two goals after-

Unexpected Win

surprises produced away wins

and perhaps the most unexpect-

ed concerned Brighton. Unbeaten

in their last 15 matches they fell

to Millwall, for whom Constantine

scored twice after missing a

Doncaster, who are bidding for

Blackpool, but two second half

Wolves, a victory which enabled

them to climb two places in the

There is no stopping Fulham,

second week running, George

ham's brilliant win over West Router.

P W D L F A Pts goals won the game for the

hat trick.

Home League ables

First Division

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Madras, January 21. Accurate bowling by Gerry Gomez (nine wickets for 24); followed. by some confident batting by Jeff Stollmeyer (77 9 not out) put the West Indies -- in a strong position here to-56 day when they began a fourday match against South Zone. The Zone was skittled out for 46, to which the touring team had replied with 166 for one wicket when stumps were drawn. Gomez was in deadly form, in spite of a knee injury sustained Results of yesterday's soccer during the early stages of play. games in the School Football Ho hit the stumps on five occasions, taking the last - two wickets with successive balls to finish off the innings, Only A. Kannan offered any resistance, being undefeated for

Stollmoyer, with A. Rac, put on 02 for the West Indies, first wicket, and with J. Goddard !. figured in an unbroken second Wantsai (PM) 1 Bil Joseph's 2 wleket stand of B4.-Router.

ःक्षेत्रं उन्दर्भ केवर्य के visiting club bean successful. A goal by Isaac Clarke, the Bromwich, Southampton's draw centre forwarl, won the match, and Fulham's win meant that but Portsmouth generally out- these four clubs are separated by played Charlton and showed themselves well fitted for their more match, a point ahead of All their most dangerous rivals lead Tottenham by two. position as League leaders.

At the foot of this table. Lincoln, once three goals down. drew level with the assistance of Sixty-one thousand people two penalties by Bean and one

Swansea Win In the Third Division Southern Section, Swansen returned to form, and with Brighton's surpriso defeat, the Welsh side are now five points ahead of Brighton of the head of the table. Crystal Palace, who had drop-1 ped II points in their last six matches, gained a notable triumph

over Bournemouth, but the vic-

tory cost them dear as Mulheron,

their inside right, was taken to hospital with a suspected rib fracture. There were several other injuries today which are likely to and-neck struggle becomes more worry clubs who will be concerned intense every week. Hull, who with Cup Ties next Saturday. have yet to lose on an opponent's Leslie Compton had four stitches ground this season, were made to inserted in an eye wound and struggle hard in the first half at Evans of Villa, in the same match,

Wrexham, but put the issue be- required attention. Huddersheld finished at Sheffield with only hine men, Smith being carried off on a stretcher Two of the day's outstanding with a leg fracture, while Bate-

man was also hurt. Lyons, making a tare appearance for Bury, broke a wrist in the first minute, and Davies, of Bristol City, dislocated his elbow. At least six other blayers suffered minor injuries during the niternoon.

An unpleasant scene occurred at

in goal earned Raith Rovers their scored direct from a freekick for one soul victory over Leith. He was Tenman, who saved a penalty after the regular custodian had, been injured. Brady scored the all-important goal that won the Rangers' very casy win was

anticipated, but beaten Elgin will

They followed last week's several appreciate a share of a £2,000 goals with six today, and for the gate. Dundee also scored six times; Rowley, brother of the inter- with four from Stott, who was national Jack Rowley, scored a the top individual scorer of the day, though Allos hended the Fulham's triumph added to the totals with eight goals against. excitement at the head of the Montrose in a match dominated Second Division, where Totten- by the forwards of each side.

